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From e'rly morn to the dead of the night,
With brandies, and wines, and wiskey and beer,
And to sell it, of course, they've a right.
They've a right! yes, and the man that sells it can live
Rich and happy, and plenty to eat;
They've houses and land, and they daily shake hands
With the big-bugs, of course, on the street.
But what of the man, the victim, you know,
Who goes staggering down to his doom,
And spends of his earnings the very last cent
To keep up a licensed saloon?
And when he gets drunk and his money all gone,
And goes tearing around like a loon,
The gents they will say he's drunk, put him out,
And he's kicked from the licensed saloon.
And then to his home like a demon he'll reel,
And then to his home like a demon he'll reel,
His home? 'tis but a wreck and a ruin,
While his children must starve, for his wages must go
To keep up a licensed saloon.
O, look in the home of the drunkard and see
Where misery must ever be found,
'Tis the rum fiend that did it, as well you may guess
And came from the licensed saloon.
And look at the woman, in years gone by,
In young life was beginning to bloom,
But she married a man whose habit it was
To go to a licensed saloon.
And look at her now in misery and woe,
While the children around cry for bread;
But the bread which is their's is taken away
And given to rummies instead.
But what of the mis'ries too countless to tell,
Brought on by the devil's friend, rum?
And think of a man who once had respect
But now is set down as a "bum."
And what of the voters, the men who will say
Give them license to kill and to ruin,
While they'll turn up their nose when drunk and pass by
Though he's fresh from a licensed saloon?
But what of it all on that great judgment day
When the wicked will meet their just doom,
And the sentence will pass upon those who had kept
And cherished a licensed saloon?
—J. M.

MARY COTTERELL'S VISITOR.

"Estelle, are you ready?"

A little shriek of horror is the answer and in another moment Estelle Verries comes flying down stairs, boots unbuttoned, neckerchief unfastened, hat and gloves in hand.

"My angelic Mary, if you scold me I shall die! Blame the chair you have put in my room. It is positively too seductive—I could not keep awake in it. Suddenly I hear a great strike of the clock; I jump up, and find I have only a little tiny five minutes to dress in! Ah! dear, patient Mary, forgive the foreigner and her abominable ways."

"Never mind about apologizing, child, but button your boots and put your hat on."

"My boots!" Estelle looks down at them in despair, and then dropping on her knees in the hall, tries to do them up with her weak little fingers.

Mary Cotterell pulls her up, orders her peremptorily into a hall chair, and drawing a button-hook from her own pocket, proceeds to do up the high foreign boots.

"There! Now turn slowly round, and let me see that you are all right."

Estelle obeys submissively. "I hadn't time to do my hair again," she explains.

"So I see, but as it is always rough, that makes very little difference. I suppose you must do now. Put on your gloves, and where's your parasol?"

"Up-stairs. I don't want it."

"Yes, you do. I'll get it for you."

Estelle doesn't object at all; but when Mary comes down again she flings both arms round her, and calls her her best-beloved cabbage.

"Tell me, Mary," she asked, as they walked down the garden on their way to Mrs. Charlesworth's tennis-party, "will that dreadful red-haired engineer be there—you know; the man who is so stupid and *gauche*?"

"Shure to be," said Mary drily. "He's devoted to Eva Charlesworth."

"Poor girl! I pity her," observed Mlle. Verries emphatically.

"Oh, you needn't do that; she doesn't care a fig for him. And besides, the dreadful red-haired engineer, as you politely call Arthur Rivers, is a very good fellow."

"I call him a beast!" said Estelle, with exceeding frankness.

"Now, Estelle," said Mary sharply, "I won't have you pick up bad words from my young brothers, and I won't have you speak rudely of my friends."

"Do you like him?" inquired her companion, stepping forward, so as to get a good look at her face.

"Certainly," replied Mary, not the least disconcerted by the mischievous scrutiny of the dark eyes.

Estelle let go of her arm, and held up both hands in amazement.

"You are funny, you English! You positively like people because they are good!"

"Certainly," replied Mary again.

"But men never are good," answered Estelle, changing her ground.

"Oh, indeed!"

"My mother says so, and she knows."

"Your poor mother was unfortunate in her experience of them; but surely, because one Englishman was a wicked husband to her, she would not condemn all the rest?"

"Oh, that is only a part of what she knows," said Estelle confidentially. "She has seen a good deal of life, and she has always taught me never to trust any man at all, however good he may seem."

Mary was silent not liking to say what she thought of such training.

Estelle's French mother had been forced, when hardly more than a child, into a marriage with a wealthy Englishman, who had treated her with neglect and brutality, and finally deserted her. Released from galling bonds by the intervention of the law, she had immediately quitted his hated country, and retired with little Estelle to a quiet suburb of Paris, where the child was brought up to call herself French, and to hate everything that was English. Yet, when an invitation came from Mrs. Cotterell for Estelle to spend a whole summer with her at Coppenham, the girl's reluctance to go was overridden by her mother, who never forgot that the Cotterells, husband and wife, had been the only people in England whose sympathy she had been able to accept or rely on. So Estelle nerved herself for a visit to her native country, and once at Coppenham, found to her surprise that she was going to enjoy herself. She found English country life charmingly novel; she particularly liked the admiration accorded to her beauty and vivacity; and she took at once to Mary Cotterell, who had much of her mother's intelligent tact and thoughtfulness.

The two girls had walked on another hundred yards or so without speaking, when Mary was roused from her reflections by feeling her arm suddenly pinched. Looking up, she discovered rapidly approaching them the young man whose "goodness" had been so summarily disposed of by Estelle a few minutes previously.

Slightly above the average height, and disproportionately broad, he not only had no good looks to boast of but carried himself particularly badly, with a kind of undignified shamble, his head forward and his hands forever in his pockets. Estelle managed to convey her opinion of him to Mary by a rapid little grimace and shrug of the shoulders before he came up to them.

"How do you do, Mary? How do you do, Mademoiselle—er—I really forget your name."

He put out his hand to Estelle in an unthinking way, much to her displeasure. He ought only to have bowed; and how dared he to forget her name! Her reluctant little fingers just touched his.

Rivers saw now, and his lips twitched with amusement.

"Beg your pardon, I'm sure. I'll only bow another time," he said bluntly. "Hate shaking hands myself; it's a barbarous custom I suppose you are bound like me, for Charlesworth's, Mary?"

On her assenting, he turned and walked beside her, without asking whether his company was desired or not.

"If you were polite, Arthur, you would offer to carry my racquet and shoes," observed Mary, laughing. "You can't imagine what a bad opinion Mademoiselle Verries is forming of you."

He took the things from her, rapidly glancing up and down Estelle, who looked bewitchingly pretty under her rose-lined parasol.

"Quite right, too," he returned with a smile. "You see, Mademoiselle, I've no sisters to lick me into shape."

Estelle was not sufficiently well up in English slang to understand quite what he meant by this; but gathering from the pleasantness of his smile that it could not have been anything rude, she condescended to answer.

"I've no sisters, or brothers either," she said naively.

"Ah! I thought so."

"Why?"

Rivers had guessed it from her manner, which was very much that of a spoilt only child, but he managed to escape blunderingly from telling her so. By this time they had reached Mrs. Charlesworth's lawn, and with a short, "Oh, can't say: intuition, I suppose," he hastily crossed over to where the fair, slender Eva Charlesworth was standing, racquet in hand, talking to the favorite and scapegrace of the place, Hal Armitage. Neither of these two particularly wanted him, and after a little while Eva gracefully sent him back to Estelle, who did not play tennis, and who had been left stranded on a garden chair, while the rest of the guests were occupied with the game. She felt so neglected and uncomfortable that it was quite a relief when Rivers came and sat down beside her.

"We ought to fraternize," he said, drawing his chair rather forward, so as to get a good view of her face, "since we neither of us play this all-engrossing game. Are you over in England for long?"

Estelle allowed herself to be gradually drawn into conversation, and was getting quite interested in comparing notes with him about the Riviera, when an amused approving little nod and smile from Mary brought the color to her face. She was a complete child in many respects, and her vexation at finding herself blushing was so great that the tears started to her eyes. Rivers wondered what on earth had happened, but if his manners were abrupt, his good feeling was rarely at fault, and he showed tact now.

"I brought home no end of mementoes," he continued quietly, "among them some flowers from Mentone—roots I mean—which I planted in the garden here for Miss Charlesworth. Would you like to see them?"

Estelle sprang up, ready to go anywhere rather than continue to sit with her face in full view of all the players. She was sure everyone must be looking at her. But in a very few minutes, thanks to Rivers' tactics, she was herself again, and inwardly determined to pay Mary out.

This little episode had cured her of her dislike to the young engineer, and before the evening was over her feelings had undergone a further revulsion. She and Mary were asked, with some of the other guests, to stay to the eight o'clock supper at Mrs. Charlesworth's, and later on there was a general vote for music. Estelle was known to have a beautiful voice, but she was exceedingly nervous, and could not be prevailed upon to sing till Eva suggested that she would be supported by a violin *obbligato*.

"That would give me courage," Estelle admitted, "and I know this song for voice and violin; but who is the virtuoso?"

"Oh, my fiddle and I are at home in this drawing-room," said Rivers, coming up quickly, and drawing out the case from under a low settee.

Estelle regarded him doubtfully, making up her mind that she should stop singing at once if his playing did not please her. She need not have been alarmed. He was a thorough musician, and soon she confessed to herself that she had never been accompanied with such instinctive sympathy. Her mellow voice gathered strength and evenness, and she felt she could rely on the response of his violin to its faintest inflections, and at the end of the song their eyes met in a glance of mutual understanding and admiration.

Hal Armitage turned to Eva Charlesworth with a significant chuckle.

"Our good Arthur is smitten," he said—"settled and done for."

Eva followed the direction of his eyes, and appraised Estelle critically.

"I hope it may be so," she answered gently.

For a week or two Estelle went about in a frame of mind which is apt to upset the calmest natures, and which, in a girl of her excitable temperament, took the shape of extreme fitful alternations between turbulent gaiety and tearful depression. She would have worried herself into a fever had it not been for the sincere good sense and unobtrusive sympathy of quiet Mary Cotterell, who understood her visitor well.

Then one day she darted into the house, dragged Mary to her room, and there burst out crying and laughing wildly. "I am so happy!—so happy!—oh, Mary, can't you guess?"

"What a child you are, Estelle! Of course I can guess, and I'm as glad as ever I can be, dearie. Tell me all about it."

"I was in the garden, and he came up the path—oh, I can't go on now—I'm just overwhelmed—frantic—my heart's beating all over me!"

"That dreadful red-haired man?" said Mary mischievously.

"How dare you call him dreadful! Yes, yes, I know that's what I said, but then I began to like him just a tiny little, and then it went on crescendo—crescendo—forte—FORTISSIMO!"

She waved her hands as if conducting an orchestra, and ended on tiptoe, tossing them high above her head.

"So, after all, you have found a man you can trust," said Mary, half-jokingly, and not at all prepared for the sudden cloud that settled on Estelle's face. She did not answer at once, and then her tone had changed.

"Mary, you told me he was devoted to Eva Charlesworth."

"Oh, did I?" said Mary, much embarrassed—"Well, I used to think so, but clearly I was mistaken."

"No you were not. He told me about it himself. He says a long time ago he asked her to marry him, but she wouldn't. She said she liked somebody else, but he mustn't be angry with her; they must always be friends. So he took it very quietly, and stayed near her till I came, and then he found out he only cared for her like a brother but for me in quite a different way. He says she is very good, but I hate her. I am frightened of her; she is so pretty and sweet, and I'm such a rough, undignified baby!"

"Do you mean that you are going to begin by being jealous?" asked Mary, quite coldly.

"I have told him he must never let me see him near hear!" declared Estelle passionately.

Mary's first impulse was to be indignant, but the memory of Estelle's training came into her mind, and she resolved to be very patient and gentle with her. For the moment she dismissed the subject lightly.

As to Arthur Rivers, he walked away, too full of the happiness Estelle had conferred upon him to think seriously of her confession of a jealous disposition. In the consciousness of his single-hearted devotion to her, he thought it impossible but that she must quickly learn to trust him. There were other considerations that seemed to him of more importance, and especially he had on his mind the difficult letter that must be immediately written to Madame Verries. But gradually he became aware that Estelle's distrust was far deeper seated than he had conceived possible, and it is hard to say which of the two suffered most; Estelle, alternating between jealousy and remorse, or Arthur, under the continual necessity of be having not only to Eva Charlesworth, but to all women, with unnatural formality, and of remonstrating with his angry betrothed. Estelle honestly strove to crush the unworthy feelings down, but their deep roots in her temperment and education put forth fresh shoots as soon as the old ones were killed off. At last a crisis arrived.

Eva Charlesworth had long ago promised to marry Hal Armitage as soon as he should be able to keep a wife, but her parents would allow no open engagement, as Hal was a harum-scarum fellow, with a great distaste for hard work, and correspondingly little prospect of making a sufficient income The poor girl was beginning to suffer from the effects of long waiting, and to feel, though she never doubted her lover's affection, that he was not doing all he might to forward their marriage, when it was mentioned before her one day that Arthur Rivers had a voice in the appointment of manager for some engineering works in New Zealand. Eva resolved to make an appeal to him on behalf of the man she was ready to follow to the end of the world, and an opportunity presented itself shortly at the Cotterell's where she was spending the evening.

"I want to speak to you in private presently, Arthur," she said in a low voice, almost as soon as they had shaken hands.

Arthur bowed with the stiffness required of him by Estelle, but his words were cordial. "Whenever and wherever you like, Eva."

"In the conservatory, then, while Estelle is singing," she replied, indicating by a neavous little laugh her comprehension of possible difficulties.

Soon Estelle was called to the piano. At the end of her first song she missed Rivers, but it was not till she had finished a second that she discovered that Eva had also absented herself. In a moment her indignant jealousy surged up, and trembling all over with suppressed fear and anger, she went to the head of the steps which led down into the conservatory. Two figures were standing below her, half hidden by a tall palm.

"You know I will do all I can for you, Eva," said the man.

"I know you have always been better to me than I deserve," said the woman her voice hardly under control. "You will keep my secret now, Arthur?"

"I will keep your secret and serve you," said Rivers, with just that strong gentleness in his voice which Estelle thought he had no right to use to any one but her. The miserable girl clenched her hands and teeth in the effort to restrain herself, conscious of the unfitness of making a scene, but self-control was not to be learnt in a moment, and passion asserted itself.

"Arthur," she said, in a low, choking voice, and stepping down towards him, "you are a traitor—you have deceived me—you—" she could hardly speak, and now she put one hand to her head, while the other, extended, forbade his approach. So she stood for a moment, then her figure swayed, she missed her footing, and he only caught the words, "Ah, you have killed me!" before she fell at his feet, sobbing, crying, raving, flinging herself about in violent hysterics, like one possessed.

Eva shocked beyond measure called Mary Cotterell to her aid, and with as little fuss as possible they got Estelle up-stairs, where she continued all night in a state of half-delirious misery and rage. The only thing she was distinct and persistent about was that she would never see or speak to Arthus again. He left the house in despair, pinning his only hope on Mary, who promised to bring the poor girl to reason. "Leave her to me for a few days," she said, and Rivers obeyed, devoting all his energies to getting Hal Armitage the colonial post desired for him by Eva.

Estelle, sorely ashamed of herself by now, heard the news of his success from Mary, who added an explanation of the part played by Arthur.

"Are you satisfied now?" asked the latter, with the sternness she found more salutary than gentleness.

"Why hasn't Arthur been to see me?" asked Estelle, looking down.

"You went too far this time; you forgot that he has his pride."

Estelle sprang up and dropped on her knees beside Mary's chair. "Let me go to him! Not to his house—I don't mean that, but somewhere where I shall meet him! Oh! my dear Mary, do this one thing for me, I implore you!"

"I don't think you deserve anything of the sort," said Mary sharply, and nothing like a promise could be extorted from her.

It was therefore, of course, only a singular coincidence that the following day Arthur should be walking through Coppenham Wood just when Mary and Estelle happened to be nutting there—or rather, Mary was nutting, while Estelle stood by in her Frenchified dress, and never so much as took off her gloves. It was lucky, too, that just when Arthur came upon them Mary should be high up from the ground in a thick bush, and quite out of sight and hearing behind the leafy screen which compassed her about.

Where were Estelle's low spirits now? She had meant to be very humble and penitent, but it was never any use for her to decide beforehand how she would behave, and now, when she saw the "dreadful red-haired man" approaching her, the pleasure of it was so great that everything else went out of her head. There was a stile between them, and hastily gathering a field daisy, she went and stood her side of it, with a face full of childish gaiety.

"He loves me a little, much, more, not at all," she began, rapidly counting out the petals, and glancing mischievously up at her lover, "a little, much, most of all!" she ended triumphantly, expecting him to clear the stile in a moment, and punish her with kisses for her bad behavior.

But Arthur did nothing of the kind. There was not the vestige of a smile on his worn face, and he looked at her so gravely that a sudden fear and heartache took possession of her.

"Arthur, forgive me," she said timidly, and taking in both hers the hand he had laid on the stile.

"Am I never to be more than the plaything of your jealous caprice, Estelle?" he asked sadly.

"Ah, you are cruel! You are tormenting me, humbling me!" cried the girl, her cheeks flaming. "You think I have not suffered. Arthur, for pity's sake do not look at me like that!"

What could the man do? Did he not love this wayward child, with all her unjustifiable distrust of himself, better than anything else in the world?

First the posititions of their hands changed, for he put out his other one, and took both her little ones into his strong grasp. Then his tone softened: "Estelle, Estelle, how long will this phase last?"

"I will never, never, doubt you again!" she exclaimed passionately.

"Never till next time," said Rivers, with a just perceptible smile. "How am I ever to feel safe?"

She would have protested, but he silenced her. "Words are useless, my child," he said. "We must begin again from beginning." And therewith he got over the stile, and proceeded to make love so delightfully, that when Mary descended from her perch and insisted on going home, Estelle thought and called her "a horrid bore."

But Mary was too well content at the completeness of their reconciliation to mind being abused. Nor had she any fear for the ultimate stability of their happiness, knowing that there was in Estelle plenty of good material, and that Arthur not only understood her well now, but would conquer in the end by sheer force of love and patience.—*Cassell's Family Magazine.*

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

CAN WIN IF THEY TRY.

If rum wins and prohibition is beaten in this town next Monday it will be the professed temperance people's own fault. The truth of the statement is susceptible of being demonstrated with mathematical certainty. There is no more need of such demonstration however than there would be to argue the existance of any self-evident fact. A fair share of common intelligence, acquaintance with the town, and a little reflection, will compel the conclusion with which we started this article. If rum wins the friends of temperance can blame themselves for it.

Not the active, earnest, working friends of temperance, but the other kind—the drones, the indifferent, the careless, the lazy ones. There are a great many faithful workers in the cause in this town: a host of men who believe in temperance from top to bottom and make sacrifices to promote it. They are always to be successfully looked for in the van. They regard it a Christian duty to found there, with coats off fighting valiantly for the physical and spiritual salvation of their fellow men. These are they who originate and carry out moral reforms.

We wish we might have as good words to say for another class. They profess to be friends and advocates of prohibition, and when at long intervals they wake up to a consideration of the subject possibly they convince themselves that practical temperance is a good thing, that they believe in it, and that they are quite efficient workers in cause. If they are not self-deceived about this then they are unfortunate, or the cause is unfortunate, in choosing their time for mental repose. The period of their soundest sleep is just about Town Meeting day. If ever they feel the need of spiritual rest it is on the day of election. If there is anything that looks like a mountain burden to them it is to go to the polls and help the real friends win a victory which, in the abstract and without effort, they profess to desire so ardently.

And this is the point we have had in view from the start: the class last named can always be relied on to vote for temperance when they can be got to Town Meeting. Shaken out of their somnolency and aroused to a sense of duty they answer the description of a temperance man very fairly. Success or defeat of prohibition next Monday depends on this class of people. If some sort of a lever can be invented that will hoist them out of their restful retreats and land them at the ballot-box the day can be can be carried against license. This is what our opening sentence means. The issue depends solely on what are usually called stay-at-homes. If they come out to the polls in force temperence will triumph; but if, as usual, no power on earth can prevail on them to do their duty towards their fellow men and themselves, why, then success is doubtful.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

W. E. Carter—Rink.
G. F. Jones—Horses.
T. C. Evans—Stetson.
M. E. Church—Supper.
A Cummings—Dry Goods.
Whitmore & Clark—Minstrels.
Mrs. J. D. Carleton—For Sale.
Cobb's Tea Store—Given Away.
L. Houghton Allen—Cow For Sale.
Mrs. D. E. Ware—Spiritual Meeting.
A. Buckman—Burke & Mundy Goods.

— Mr. L. Houghton Allen offers to sell a fine Dutch Jersey cow.

— Prior & Mann make an important announcement to people who wear boots and shoes.

— Mr. F. S. Burgess states a few facts in this paper which will reward a careful perusal.

— The announcement of the date of "Longfellow's Dream" will be made in our next issue.

— Last Friday, at Bond's factory, George Hamilton lost a finger in a slicking-machine.

— The cast of "Longfellow's Dream" will embrace at least one hundred different characters.

— The Nathaniel Kendall place on Kilby street is offered for sale very cheap. It is a very desirable property.

— We have no doubt but that there will be a tremendous turnout to Hugh Montgomery's lecture in Lyceum Hall this evening.

— We call especial attention to the advertisement "Given Away" by Cobb's Tea store, Boston. There is a volume of information in it.

— Woburn Coal Company have several car-loads of dry spruce slabs, sawed 12 inches long, for kindling, which will be sold cheap.

— The 33d annual meeting of the Middlesex County Teachers' Association will be held in Huntington Hall, Lowell, on next Friday, April 9.

— Mr. Allen Robie, who recently sold his news depot to Mr. Robinson, has not yet found a business to his mind. We hope he will remain here.

— The living pictures, statues and moving tableaux in the dream of "Longfellow" will constitute one of the most brilliant entertainments ever given here.

— The lists show about 2700 voters, 2,300 of which are male and 400 female. The names of about 160 females have been added to the list this spring.

— Senator Harlow has deposited his assignment of copies of the Drainage Report in the Public Library where it can be obtained by those who desire to read it.

— The funeral of Miss Catherine Doherty, an esteemed young lady who died last Tuesday evening, will take place this afternoon at St. Charles church.

— John A. McFee was sent to the House of Correction for eight months, on Wednesday, for indecent behavior towards two little girls. He is 60 years old.

— People who have money will please note that by depositing it in the Five Cents Savings Bank on or before the 10th of this month it will draw interfrom the 1st.

— On Tuesday Dr. Kelley was summoned to Cummingsville to attend to a son of Mathew Stephenson, who was suffering from a broken thigh occasioned by a fall.

— Rev. Hugh Montgomery of Worcester, the great Irish temperance advocate, will lecture in Lyceum Hall on this, Friday, evening. Let the hall be filled to it utmost capacity.

— Mr. Herbert W. Lull, a graduate of the Woburn High School, now Principal of the High School at Milford, was here on a brief visit a few days ago. He has many friends in Woburn.

— Let everybody bear in mind that the Woburn annual Town Meeting will be held next Monday, and that it is to be a very important one. It looks as though there would be a large vote.

— The Knights of Labor held a large and enthusiastic meeting in Lyceum Hall last Sunday to consider the private circular, recently made public, of Master Workman Powderly to the Order.

— Mr. Robert Eaton, now resident of Nebraska, has decided to return to Woburn and establish his home at Central Square. He will be a valuable acquisition to the population of that growing village.

— The "Woburn Bargain Store" is the biggest business success in town. At it Prior sells dead loads of all kinds of goods for the reason that his prices are lower than anybody's else's either here or in Boston.

— Arrangements have been made for a union religious survices at the First Congregational church, on Fast Day—next Thursday. For further particulars the reader is referred to Dr. March's notice in Church services.

— H. Copeland, Superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School, gave a twenty minutes talk last Sunday on his recent trip to Mexico, and by request of the school is to talk again next Sunday on the City of Mexico, and Dr. Butler's work there.

— Mr. Hubbard Copeland returned from his trip to Mexico last Friday. The excursion was a pleasant one and very much enjoyed by all the members of the large party. Mr. Copeland returned in good health and spirits, and satisfied with his trip.

— Mr. G. F. Jones returned from a trip to Iowa last Saturday where he went to purchase horses for this market. He bought a car-load of fine ones, which will arrive here next Tuesday. Those who want to buy should call early at Mr. Jones's stables.

— Rev. H. A. Westall, pastor of the Unitarian church, will preach a temperance sermon next Sunday at 10.30 A. M. His theme will be, "The Drink Curse: Shall we vote to License it?" We hope the Unitarian church will be filled with attentive listeners.

— Will the fair contributor of "Our Dumb Friends" be so kind as to accept our apology for the non-appearance of her excellent paper in this week's JOURNAL? Its omission was unavoidable, for "the best laid plans of mice and men gang aft agley."

— Gage & Co. advertises in this paper a grand opening of spring goods in all the latest styles and fabrics. Also a closing out sale of winter wares. The spring stock of this popular firm is a very fine one, embracing all the new and best things in the market.

— The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church advertises to give a sociable and reception in the parlors of the church on Tuesday evening, April 6th. Provisions have been made for a very pleasant affair, not the least of which will be an excellent supper.

— Lovers of good coffee may have their appetites gratified by calling at Curtis's Mammoth Bazaar free of expense, as will be seen by his advertisement. Hereafter tea and coffee will be included in his stocks of wares and merchandize, which he proposes to sell very cheap.

— Rev. N. B. Fisk will finish his three years of service as pastor of the M. E. Church here on Sunday the 11th instant. He has been a faithful shepherd and accomplished much good in this community. His going away will be deeply regretted by many people outside of his church.

— Whether the exact date for the opening of the symposium has been fixed upon or not we are unable to say. It will occur however on or close to the 15th of this month, and for it great preparations are in progress. When the ladies learn all about it they will be surprised and delighted.

— General Superintendent Mellen has issued an order placing the care of tracks, iron bridges, culverts, and all expense incident to the maintenance of way of the B. & L. R. R. in the hands of the Chief Engineer of the Company, Mr. G. M. Thompson, to whom all roadmasters and section men will hereafter report.

— Mr. Amos Cummings has completed a neat and tasteful arrangement of seasonable goods on the shelves of the large and cheerful annex to his store, and is now prepared to receive visitors, and will be glad to see them whether they purchase or not. His store is one of the largest in town and as pleasant as capacious. It is so light that goods may be examined without the least difficulty, and the display is such as to enable visitors to determine what he keeps at a glance. It is needless to say that Mr. Cummings's stock of dry, fancy, domestic and millinery goods is complete in every part, nor that he sells everything at Boston prices and less.

— At the regular meeting School Board held last Tuesday evening, all the members present except Emerson and Harlow. A communication from Philip McHugh was ordered filed. Communication from Rev. N. B. Fisk and others referred to special committee. Report of Superintendent for March ordered filed. Bills referred to the Auditors.

— Carter sets out a week of good entertainments as will be observed by his card. He leaves nothing undone to make things pleasant for the patrons of his rink. The Woburns have been forging ahead since the last issue of the JOURNAL and stand a most promising second of the League. We want to see them down the Walthams, and think they will do it soon.

— Mr. A N. Goodhue, a conductor on the B. & L. R. R., has moved to Nashua, N. H. The change of residence was necessitated by an assignment of a new line to him. He is one of the best and most popular conductors on the road, always gentlemanly and obliging, and we regret the necessity which compels him to leave Woburn for another home.

— The Newton *Journal* almost weeps at the scarcity of rentable houses in that beautiful suburb. People come there daily, it says, and have to go without finding what they want. It is just the same in Cambridge, Somerville and everywhere else about Boston. Why do not our capitalists see their opportunity?—*Cambridge Chronicle.*—Sure enough, why don't they?

— Mr. A. Buckman, as will be seen by his advertisement, will hereafter keep the well-known and popular Burke & Mundy goods in stock and give good bargains in the same. The ladies' boots and shoes manufactured by Burke & Mundy need no puffing. Mr. Buckman also keeps other first-class goods in his line, especially in men's wear. His prices are always reasonable.

— Senator Harlow has laid us under renewed obligations to him for a copy of the testimony and arguments before a committee of the Legislature, of which he was the chairman, on poisoned paperhangings, for which we respectfully tender him our thanks, with the assurance that the "Appendix," by which name the report is called, shall be carefully read and studied by this office.

— Mr. Fitz, of the firm of Fitz & Stanley, Boston Branch, paid a visit to Washington last week. He spent several days at the Capitol of the Nation and enjoyed it very much. He received marked courtesies from our Representative, Mr. Hayden; shook hands with the President; visited both Houses of Congress and heard some speeches, and had a good time generally.

— "The Massachusetts Index-Digest" is a valuable reference book of law prepared by W. V. Kellen, Esq., a member of the Suffolk Bar, for Little, Brown & Company, law publishers of Boston, some of the merits of which were set forth in these columns several months since. The work is spoken of by lawyers as invaluable, and it is already having a great sale among the Bench and Bar.

— Last Saturday evening the colored people of this place and neighborhood gave a benefit entertainment to Rev. N. B. Fisk and family, in the Methodist church. The affair, under the direction of Mrs. Robert West, was a very pleasant and successful one. Besides Mrs. West, Mr. Lightfoot, Mamie and Julia Broxton, Mrs. W. Broxton and Alice West participated in the entertainment.

— We call particular attention to a column article in this paper which lucidly and succinctly sets forth the objections to granting licenses to sell intoxicating liquors. It seems to us that no rational, candid men can study those reasons without becoming thoroughly convinced that the protection of law ought never to be thrown over the nefarious, body and soul-destroying traffic in rum.

— Last Monday evening the residence of Mr. Francis A. Partridge was entered by thieves, while the family were absent, who stole quite a large amount of silverware and other property. Early on Tuesday morning Mr. Hunt, a neighbor, discovered the tracks of boys around Mr. Partridge's house which with other facts, leads to the conclusion that the thieves were familiar with the premises and belong in town.

— The report was current late last week that Mr. Robert Duncan had discharged all his workmen except about a dozen. Then it was said that between 80 and 90 had been turned out. Again, that he had taken back 50 of them. A few days ago his book-keeper said about 60 were employed. Last week's experience in trying to find the truth compels us to remark, that the present condition of the labor question here is a hard thing to determine.

— To-morrow evening Whitmore & Clark's celebrated Minstrels will give one of their choice entertainments in Lyceum Hall. The press and people all over the country are agreed on the point that it is the best Minstrel company on the road. They never fail to draw big houses. But they are well known to this public, and very favorably so, therefore the bare announcement that the troupe are to show here to-morrow night will be sufficient to fill Lyceum Hall.

— At the close of the evening school last week Principal Francis P. Curran and Assistants Etta Larkin and Augusta Fellows were pleasantly remembered and entertained by their numerous friends. These teachers have done good and acceptable work during the winter. The rewards of merit were bestowed on Master Thomas Feeney for proficiency in English composition in the shape of an elegant gold pen and holder, and Mary Flaherty, a fine gold ring, for good spelling.

— At the annual meeting of the Mendelssohn Club held March 29th, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year; President, Hon. B. F. Whittemore; Vice-President, Fred J. Brown; Secretary and Treasurer, Abijah Thompson; Conductor, P. E. Bancroft; Board of Directors, Henry M. Eames, Mrs. D. H. Richards, W. P. Fox, H. M. True, Fred D. Merrill; Music Committee, P. E. Bancroft, Fred D. Merrill, Miss M. L. Bancroft; Pianist, Miss M. L. Bancroft. The Club adjourned to the first Monday in October next, subject to the call of the Secretary.

— A private meeting of our manufacturers was held in the Board of Trade Rooms last Wednesday evening to consider the condition of the labor question here. It was a protracted session, but the results have not been made public. They were important however, and believed to have been in the direction of a compromise. It was nearly midnight when a hack containing four or five prominent Knights reached the residence of Mr. Charles McDonald, with whom a conference was held.

— If any man thinks Mr. Thomas Salmon has lost his grip on the Democratic party of Woburn he is fooling himself bad. He is a long-headed, shrewd, silent and successful politician, and his following is much larger than that of any of his rivals to-day. The Democratic caucus last Monday night was Thomas Salmon's caucus. Nobody was allowed to see it, but his finger was very deep in the pie. Everything was done exactly as he had cut and dried it, and the meeting to-night for a report of the nominating committee will be Tom Salmon's—all of it.

— The Democrats held a caucus on last Monday evening to select candidates to be supported by that party at the polls on next Monday, etc. Mr. William Johnson of the East Side presided. Several distinguished members of the party aired their eloquence after which a large nominating committee were chosen, who were instructed to report at an adjourned meeting to be held this evening. We are informed that the committee, by an understanding, will do this only partially. A part of the ticket nominated by them will not be publicly divulged until the morning of the 5th.

— A few things concerning next Monday's Town Meeting are settled: there will be no opposition to the re-election of John G. Maguire, Esq., for Collector, nor to James N. Dow, Esq., for Treasurer. All parties and factions will vote for these gentlemen because they are efficient, faithful, honest officers and their re-election is unanimously desired. Another thing: Mr. James Maguire refuses absolutely to stand for re-election to the Board of Selectmen. He will not have it on any consideration, so it will be useless to vote for him. Again: it is as good as settled that a majority of the present Board of Selectmen will be re-elected without much opposition.

— A very large audience visited Lyceum Hall last Tuesday evening to enjoy Harry French's concluding lecture, which by many was judged the most interesting of the series. The subject was "Random Sketches in Italy," which included views in the Alps, Milan, Florence and Venice, and to say they were supurb would be a mild and inadequate term to employ. They were simply splendid, and the accompaning lecture was in the highest degree entertaining. The whole course has given great pleasure to large and critical audiences, and if Mr. French ever comes here again to lecture he will be cordially received.

— A union temperance meeting has been appointed to be held in the Congregational church next Sunday evening. Addresses will be delivered by Dr. Wallace of Manchester, N. H., and by the pastors of churches in this place. Special provisons have been made for music on the occasion which will be very fine. A chorus choir of forty voices selected from the various musical organizations of the town will sing appropriate pieces set to popular airs, accompanied by the organ and Mr. Marrinan on the cornet. The concert alone ought to secure a very large attendance for it will be a prime one. And then the cause and the addresses of its advocates should be an attraction sufficiently strong to fill the great church.

— Two intoxicated girls passing down street in charge of the police early last Monday evening towards the town jail was a sad sight. They were very badly off and had been making such a wild disturbance in West's laundry that the officers took charge of and locked them up. On Tuesday morning they were each fined $3.00 in the District Court, which was paid by the friends of one of them, and, in default of payment, the other was sent to the House of Correction. It was a sorrowful spectacle. They were young girls—not old hardened sinners—fairly good looking, apparently intelligent, well dressed, but wild, rollicking drunk. Some person in town sold those poor, unfortunate girls the rum on which they become intoxicated and caused them to disgrace themselves on the street. No doubt of that, and it does not seem possible that the sleep of that man could have been sweet last Monday night nor his dreams pleasant while the victims of his heartless greed were spending the long, gloomy hours in tears, regrets and appeals for release from the prison. It don't seem so. But a great many things appear to go wrong in this world at the best.

Stetson's Shoe Store.

To our readers who buy their foot wear in Boston, we would recommend the Shoe Store of Mr. Stetson as a most excellent place to buy all kinds of Boots or Shoes of a perfectly reliable quality, at prices that cannot fail to be satisfactory. Any lady or gentlemen for from 2 to 3 dollars a pair can purchase from Mr. Stetson a boot or shoe that will give complete wear in every respect. His stock is large and well adapted to suit those who want a good article at a medium price. Stetson's Old Established Stand, 158 Hanover Street, right off the corner of Blackstone.

An Enterprising, Reliable House.

W. W. Hill can always be relied upon, not only to carry in stock the best of everything, but to secure the Agency for such articles as have well-known merit, and are popular with the people, thereby sustaining the reputation of being always enterprising, and ever reliable. Having secured the Agency for the celebrated Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will sell it on a positive guarantee. It will surely cure any and every affection of Throat, Lungs, and Chest, and to show our confidence, we invite you to call and get a Trial Bottle Free.

James Pyle's PEARLINE has indeed become an article of established value in domestic economy, and now is the time for every family to test it, for house-cleaning as well as for laundry purposes. A more useful article for housekeepers is not to be found, and they who neglect a trial of it deprive themselves of a great convenience. Sold by grocers generally, but see that counterfeits are not urged upon you.

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We carry through the whole year a large and assorted stock of

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And have already received and early invoice of our SPRING STYLES, and can furnish your Parlor, Sitting-room, Dining-room, Kitchen and Chambers, lower than anybody in Boston.

Persons contemplating buying this Spring, should take this opportunity of looking our stock over before the season opens.

CASH OR EASY PAYMENTS.

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VOTERS OF WOBURN.

You are respectfully requested to give thoughtful and candid attention to the following reasons why licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors should not be given in this town for the coming year.

1. LICENSE is not needed to promote the health, to improve the character or to increase the happiness of the people of the town. Nobody claims that it will secure better order in our streets, purer morality in our homes or more assured peace and prosperity in social and business life. Parents do not want it for their children, doctors do not want it for their patients, teachers do not want it for their scholars, employers do not want it for their workmen, citizens do not want it for the public good.

2. LICENSE dishonors law by making it the oppressor of the innocent and the protector of the guilty, a helper to vice and a hindrance to virtue. License makes the law enrich the grasping and the selfish at the expense of the generous and the just, it taxes the whole community to put money in the purse of men who prey upon the public welfare and make gain of public immorality and profligacy.

3. LICENSE encourages idleness, wastefulness and recklessness among laboring people. It makes them disorderly in conduct, dissatisfied with wages and discontented with work. It makes them slaves and underlings in the shop, tramps and vagabonds on the highways, when they might be independent and self-reliant, masters of themselves and of their business, firm in health, cheerful in hope, always in places of profit and honor and always with enough for themselves and families.

4. LICENSE lets down the standard of skill and fidelity in all manner of work, wastes time and strength and material, pulls the laborer down to a lower grade of wages and of work, causes him to lose the confidence of his employer and leaves him to drop into the lowest and worst paid occupation in shop or street or field.

5. LICENSE endangers public health, shortens and embitters human life, diminishes the endurance of the human constitution, loading it with disease and transmitting to the new-born child the inheritance of depraved appetites and impaired will and energy and disordered digestion and a dark and hopeless outlook for the future.

6. LICENSE disturbs public order, social quietness and peace, it leads to the outbreak of lawless passions in violence and crime, it burdens the community with the expense of arresting criminals, supporting paupers, paying for losses by negligence and recklessness and incompetency, gives every citizen a feeling of insecurity in travel and business and home and social life.

7. LICENSE hinders the progress of education and social refinement and purity, it contradicts the lessons of virtue, sobriety and industry taught in our schools, it makes the homes of the people poor and bare and wretched, it stands in the way of all efforts to promote good taste, good manners, good education and good ways of living.

8. LICENSE exposes children to temptation, makes it easy for them at an early age to contract the appetite which destroys millions, it makes them familiar on the street and in their own homes with low vices and wasteful indulgences, it embitters the memories of their early life with scenes of quarrel and confusion and with the dark shadows that haunt the habitations of cursing and cruelty.

9. LICENSE desecrates the sanctuary of home, destroys the peace and hope of families, makes the father a shame and a sorrow to his wife and children, it makes night hideous with the beastly yells, the vile songs and the horrid blasphemy of men who have been maddened under the protection of law and sent home to say to their terror stricken families that the saloon is licensed by vote of the town and the rumseller pays good money into the town treasury for permission to make men brutes.

10. LICENSE degrades the character of the people, gives them a bad name abroad and bad habits at home and bad passions and appetites to warrant the evil reputation the world gives them, it impoverishes the town, paralyzes industry, destroys trade, makes every man's house and business and social relations worth less to him every year it is granted, it makes good citizens glad of an excuse to move away from a town that takes pay into its treasury for permitting men to dishonor its good name and destroy the lives and the property of its people.

11. LICENSE burdens the town with taxes to support pauperism and punish crime, it lessens the safeguards against loss by fire and accident and misuse of any kind, it corrupts the purity of popular elections, impairs the dignity and the sacredness of the citizen's duty in casting his vote, it supplies the strongest incentive to corruption and dishonesty in filling public offices and in conducting the civil affairs of the State and nation.

12. LICENSE encourages and perpetuates the waste of property and character and life upon the one vice which costs nations more than plague and famine and war combined, it opposes all effort to lift men up to a nobler, stronger, more excellent manhood, it puts far off the day when men shall shake off the chains of appetite and passion, gain full mastery of themselves and rejoice in perfect liberty.

Citizens of Woburn, give these reasons a candid and thoughtful consideration, talk them over earnestly and quietly among yourselves. If only one of these twelve reasons should agree with your own judgment of the case, let that be enough. Go to the polls on the fifth of April and vote, NO LICENSE. So doing, you will act in behalf of the highest interests of the whole town and the dearest hopes of mankind. So doing, you will perform a sacred duty which you owe to yourselves, to your fellow men and to God. So doing, you will give your voice to arrest the progress of a desolation which destroys millions of property, makes many thousand wretched homes in this land of ours, brings an exceeding great army of American citizens every year with shame and sorrow to the grave. Polls open Monday, April 5, at 7.30 A. M.

WOBURN, April, 1886.

Board of Trade.

A meeting of the Board of Trade was held on last Saturday evening, which was attended by an unusually large number of members. President Skinner occupied the chair, and W. N. Titus, Esq. was chosen Secretary pro tem.

Mr. F. A. Lewis reported progress for his committee on a celebration of the first anniversary of the organization of the Board. The character of the celebration was discussed at length by nearly all the members present. A diversity of opinion was developed. Hon. B. F. Whittemore thought a modest collation and entertainment would be about the checker: W. V. Kellen of Jamacia Plain suggested something in the form of a basket picnic: Mr. W. H. Smith believed in a bang-up affair including caterer, male quartet, 5-minute speeches and buttonhole bouquets: Mr. Skinner was ready for anything: Esquire Titus endorsed the sentiments of Mr. Smith: Mr. Buchanan was willing to go with the crowd, and Mr. W. W. Hill wanted a good time anyhow.

On motion of W. V. Kellen, Esq. it was voted to have a celebration and that the present committee be continued with powers.

The committee on annual dues, Col. Grammer, W. W. Hill, F. S. Burgess, reported progress, and the matter was laid over to next meeting. The report recommends $5 instead of $10.

On motion of Hon. B. F. Wittemore a committee of five, consisting of B. F. Whittemore, F. A. Lewis, Geo. A. Hobbs, W. N. Titus, W. W. Hill, were appointed to select a list of Board officers for the coming year, and report at the regular meeting on the 3rd Tuesday of April.

Chairman N. J. Simonds presided at the regular meeting of the Executive Committee on Tuesday evening, and F. A. Flint was appointed Secretary pro tem. The Secretary was directed to cause the publication in the local papers the proposed change in the constitution of the organization to be acted on at the annual meeting. Thanks were voted to Mr. Edgar B. Thompson for the fine drawing mentioned in our last report. An appropriation of $100 was made to defray expenses of the anniversary celebration.

Missionary Bowler writes: "Having used Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam, I am prepared to say that it has afforded almost immediate relief in my most severe attacks; and I consider it the most effective preparation of its kind for all diseases of the throat and bronchitis." Rev. J. R. Bowler, Baptist (State of Maine) Missionary. Trial bottles 10 cents, at the druggist's.

Aid For Ireland.

A very large and enthusiastic meeting was held in Lyceum Hall last Wednesday evening in aid of the Irish Parliamentary Fund. It was eloquently addressed by Rev. M. F. McDonnell of St. Charles Church, and Hon. John E. Fitzgerald and Hon. John B. Murphy of Boston. John G. Maguire, Esq., called the meeting to order and introduced Rev. Fr. McDonnell, who made a patriotic and stirring speech. A large number of prominent citizens occupied the platform with the distinguished speakers, and the National Band regaled the meeting with a variety of lively Irish airs. The addresses of Messrs. Fitzgerald and Murphy were able and entertaining. About $275 was contributed to the Fund by the assembly.

That slight cold you think so little of may prove the forerunner of a complaint that may be fatal. Avoid this result by taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, the best remedy for colds, coughs, catarrhs, bronchitis, incipient consumption, and all other throat and lung diseases.

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1 lot French Dress Flannels marked down from 50c. to 25c. per yard.

1 lot Light Prints at 4c., cheap at 6¼c.

1 case Cranton Seersucker at 12½c., usually sold at 15c.

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10 dozen Men's and Boy's Calico Shirts, 25 cents.
6 dozen Men's Calico Shirts, collars to match, 50 cents.
Pinhead Check Dress Goods, 12½ cents.
Pinhead Check Dress Goods, 41 inch, 28 cents.
Tricot Cloths, 50 cents.
Remnants Dress Goods, 6 cents.
Remnants of Ginghams, 6¼ cents.
Remnants Best Prints, 5 and 6¼ cents.
Remnants Blue Drilling, worth 20 cents.
Remnants White Pique, 10 cents.
White Check Cambric for children's wear, 7 cents.
White Dornet Flannel, 7 cents.
White Quilts for $1.00, worth $1.25.
Crash 3½ cents per yard.
Children's Hosiery marked down.
Men's Striped Working Shirts, 32 cents.
White Pearl Buttons 5 cents per dozen.
Kid Gloves 50 cents, worth 62 cents.
Ladies' Night Dresses, 50 cents.
Ladies' Skirts 25 cents.
Holland Curtains all ready to put up, 37½ cents.
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Many other bargains.

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All goods for the Dye House should be brought in by Tuesday evening.

EDITOR OF JOURNAL: As public interest has of late been awakened regarding the sale of the Littlefield property on Pleasant street, and so many incorrect statements have been made concerning it, I desire to state the facts.

In the spring of 1885 the president of the Savings Bank sent word to Mrs. Littlefield that, if she would sell her property for a sum which he named and let him know, the subject would be taken into consideration. She soon after gave him the figure at which she would sell. At that time she was contemplating a summer visit in New Jersey, but fearing the trade might be interfered with if absent she delayed her departure for several weeks, expecting to hear something in relation to her offer. Hearing nothing she concluded to wait no longer, and left on July 3d.

During her absence a trustee of the Savings Bank enquired of her son if his mother would sell a portion of the property, and was told he did not think she would, but would write her. In the mean time other parties opened negotiations for the property. On the 4th of last August the president of the Bank called on Mr. M. Littlefield and enquired if his mother was still willing to sell at the price offered by her—a virtual acknowledgment that he had abandonded the first attempt to trade. Mr. L. thought she would, but he must write her about it. The president was told that other parties had been given a price, but not a refusal, whereupon he said he would take it for the Savings Bank, and if the Bank would not take it, he would for himself, which closed the interview.

Mrs. Littlefield was written to, and on September 19 she returned, expecting to give a deed of the property on a call to be made within a reasonable time. The president of the Bank called to verify this statement of the son, and both understood it to be a trade. No call was made on her for the deed until Nov. 2, when an official notified her that the bank would take the property and call for a deed that week. It did not do so. Soon after Mrs. Littlefield heard that the Bank would not take the property because of a technical restriction on a small part of it. As this report was strengthened by their delay in calling for a deed, and hearing no more in regard to the matter, she naturally concluded the trade was off. She was never tendered a dollar to bind the bargain, nor has been called on to give any paper until the present month, when, after being trifled with and kept in suspense for several months she is requested to bind herself to sell the property to the Bank, provided the town will remove the restriction—a condition never before mentioned to her. She concluded that, if the Bank did not want the place enough to keep faith with her and consummate the trade made six months before, she would do nothing of the kind.

No sooner does Mrs Littlefield refuse to bind herself, and knowing that she is to ask the town to remove the technical restriction, then somebody rushes into print to array public opinion against the removal by saying she has refused to sell, which is not true. She has never refused to sell because no opportunity to do so has been given her. It looks as though the Bank, having procrastinated so long without cause, were trying to excuse themselves by throwing the failure of the sale on a widow who has been willing to do as she agreed. At their last interview the president of the Bank exonerated her from all blame.

The restriction amounts to but little because all the parties to it are dead, and its bounds were years ago obliterated and it is impossible now to fix them. It was put on to prevent the view from houses on the two adjoining estates being cut off and as these are gone it is inoperative. The only reason for asking its removal is because it is a thin cloud over which there is a possible chance for lawyers to fight. The widow does not intend to make a struggle for the vote of removal in Town Meeting. If the town is willing to give what belongs to her and takes nothing from anybody, she will feel grateful; if not, she will feel the same in proportion.

Scrofula diseases manifest themselves in the spring. Hood's Sarsaparilla cleanses the blood, and removes every taint of scrofula.

The Amazing Growth of a Year.

BOSTON, March 31.—The average circulation of THE BOSTON DAILY GLOBE for March exceeded 94,000, and the average of THE BOSTON SUNDAY GLOBE reached 99,905. Last year in the same month the daily average was 56,673, and the Sunday average was 62,500. This is the most amazing gain ever known in Boston journalism. THE SUNDAY GLOBE now has a much larger circulation than any other Boston Sunday newspaper.

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MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

UNITARIAN.—Services at 10.30 a. m. The pastor's subject will be "The Drink Curse: shall we vote to License it?" Union Temperance meeting at the Congregational Church in the evening

BAPTIST—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; Communion service at 3 p. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m.; a Temperance Union Meeting at the Congregational Church at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7.30.

METHODIST.—Preaching by pastor at 10.30 a.m.; Sunday school at 12 m.; Communion and reception of members at 2.30 p. m.; Sunday School Prayer Meeting at 6 p. m.; General Prayer Meeting at 7 p. m. Meetings through the week as usual.

CONGREGATIONAL—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6 p. m.; Union Temperance Meeting at 7 p. m. Addresses by Dr. Wallace of Manchester, N. H., and by the pastors of churches in town. Singing by a large chorus and congregation. Music led by cornet and organ. The usual meetings on Wednesday and Friday evenings. Union service on Fast Day at 10.30 a. m.

The Scandinavian Evangelical Society, Y. M. C. Rooms. Sunday, preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 m. Praise meeting at 6.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Bible Reading, Friday at 7.30 p. m. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

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In Woburn, March 30, by Rev. Daniel March, Frederick E. Soles and Lillian B. Dyer, both of Woburn.

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In Woburn, March 26, Ellen Nolan, aged 5 mons.
In Woburn, March 27, Hannah Looney, aged 56 years.
In Woburn, March 29, A. M. Bencey, aged 5 years, 6 months.
In Woburn, March 31, E. F. Doherty, aged 31 years, 8 months.
In Winchester, March 30, Ellen A. Harris, aged 27 years, 2 months.

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WINCHESTER.

The sum of $250 was appropriated for carrying on the Industrial School.

There was a slight fire in an empty house on Florence street last Monday morning.

Workmen are making good progress on the railroad tower here for the interlocking switches.

The committee appointed to investigate the matter of remodeling the High School will report in the future.

The village will have the services and protection of two night watchmen on and after May 1st. They are needed.

The new Wyman schoolhouse will be open for inspection on Saturday afternoon, April 3, (to-morrow), between the hours of 3 and 5. The committee respectfully invite all who are interested to pay the building a visit at that time.

James Mooney, George D. Nelson, and P. W. Haley, the Executive Committee of the Knights of Labor, waited on John Maxwell & Co., last Saturday and presented a price list for the acceptance of the firm. Mr. John Maxwell had not returned from the city, and no answer was given. The firm have not made up their minds to sign the Skinner arbitration award, and will not do so until they see whether signing is to *general or not.*

An adjourned Town Meeting was held on Thursday evening, March 25, at which it was voted to build a Town Hall, to cost not less than $50,000, and the Treasurer was empowered to issue notes running 10 years, drawing 4 per cent interest, to pay for the same. The Gardner lot was chosen as the site for the new Hall. On Saturday evening last another meeting was held for the purpose of reconsidering or rescinding the vote to build, at which the opposition did not develop much strength, besides which, there were insurmountable legal obstacles in the way of defeating the action of meeting on the 25th. The matter is in the hands of a building committee who have already entered on the discharge of their duties, and the Town Hall will be built.

An Answer Wanted

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BURLINGTON.

Mr. S. W. Rodman and family intend to occupy their residence in Burlington this summer.

The overseers of the poor have engaged Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edgerley, superintendent and matron of the almshouse, for another year.

The Selectmen propose purchasing a Victor road machine, for the town. It is to be tried, this week. The highway surveyor has begun his duties.

The Centre school will be kept open this season for the convenience of pupils in that part of the town. The spring term of all the schools begins, Monday.

Mr. Charles H. Foster, who has been janitor of the church for the past year and given good satisfaction in that place, has resigned his position and Mr. George F. Shaw has been appointed in his stead.

Last Sunday evening was a very pleasant occasion for the Sunday school. The school met at the church and after a short exercise of Scripture recitations and singing listened to an interesting address by Rev. E. G. Porter of Lexington, who came especially to present the Centennial medals, he promised a year ago, to all scholars who would not be absent for a year, except the Sundays allowed for sickness and vacation. Despite the universal amount of sickness which has prevailed among the school the past year twenty three of the seventy-five scholars received medals. This list included the superintendent Mr. T. I Reed; two teachers, Messrs. Samuel Sewall and J. K. Woodman; the organist, Miss May E. Fuller; and the librarian Mr. Walter Skelton. The medals are of beautiful design and workmanship and are enclosed in neat boxes, bearing the autograph of the donor. The Sunday school are deeply grateful to Rev. Mr. Porter for his kind interest and generosity.

The Women Moving.

The call for a meeting of the women intending to cast a ballot for school committee received a generous and hearty response. Grand Army Hall was full. In pursuance of the object that had drawn the ladies together, namely, a desire to render their interest in the public schools of some practical value in the approaching election, it was voted to select a number of names of gentlemen worthy the confidence of their fellow-citizens, and present them to the Republican, Democratic and Citizens nominating committees with the request that they be respectfully considered in making their own list of candidates. A committee of ladies was appointed to prepare from the tickets offered at the polls one ticket which in their judgment shall meet the desired requirements. The following resolution was moved and adopted.

WHEREAS, through the carelessness of the friends of woman suffrage, or the small malice of its opponents, the motives and action of the women who exercise the right of the school ballot may be unnecessarily subject to misrepresentation;

Resolved, That the women who avail themselves of the school franchise are both non-partisan and non-sectarian in their interests and accept this means of political expression with an eye single to the truest welfare of the public schools.

In addition to the regular business of the meeting a petition, praying that all women who are now voters may be allowed a ballot in the matter of liquor license, was circulated, and a unanimous vote passed empowering the secretary to desire our State senator and representative to support a bill providing for the greater moral protection of the young girls of the Commonwealth.—X.

Cure for Croup.—Use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil according to directions. It is the best remedy for all sudden attacks of colds, pain and inflammation, and for injuries.

North Woburn.

Mrs. D. E. Ware, medium, will hold a meeting in the Unitarian Chapel on Sunday, April 11, at 2.30 P. M. See her card in JOURNAL.

A union temperance meeting will be held in the Congregational church next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, at which there will be addresses and good music. It is expected the meeting will be a large one as our people are wide awake on temperancee this spring.

The Rumford Historical Society held their annual meeting at the Rumford House, North Woburn, on the evening of March 26, for the election of officers, the acknowldgement of gifts during the year past, and the transaction of other business. The meeting was also enlivened by the reading of an excellent paper on the genealogy and history of the Count, by the Rev. Leander Thompson. There was a good attendance of the members and much interest in the proceedings was manifested. The old board of officers was re-elected, and two vacancies caused by the death of incumbents were filled. The number of gifts during the past year appears to be large, and the association is in a prosperous condition. It would be well if more of our citizens would join this worthy association, whose annual expenses are met mainly by the *fees of admission*. The grounds about the house have also lately been much improved. The ancient house is also worth a visit. There is a weirdness about the interior that is interesting to visitors, and suggestive of associations with the distant past. On the evening of the annual meeting additional interest was added to the occasion by the fact that the Count was born in the very room where the company was sitting, one hundred and thirty-three years ago that very day. The paper by Mr. Thompson, which deserves to be printed, presented many facts concerning the life and reputation of the Count in a new and unique combination. The fact can never be overlooked, whatever may be said of his career in some other respects, that by his donations and those of his daughter to this country's institutions, he and she were both great friends and benefactors to America, and that the magnitude and distinction of his career in Europe has been thus far too little appreciated by Americans. The tendency of the information obtained concerning his life appears to show that Woburn will be prouder of her claim to his birthplace in the future than she has been at any time in the past, or is even to-day.

The following officers were elected for the year then ensuing: President, Hon. John Cummings; Vice-Presidents, Rev. Charles Anderson of Woburn, Josiah Pierce of London, England, Cyrus Woodman of Cambridge, Mass., E. Everett Thompson of Woburn, Abijah Thompson of Winchester; Secretary and Treasurer, Andrew R. Linscott; Corresponding Secretary, Everett A. Thompson; Trustees and Directors, George R. Baldwin, Rev. L. Thompson, Marshall Tidd, Andrew R. Linscott, Leonard Thompson, Hon. John Cummings, Hon. E. D. Hayden; Librarian and Custodian, Warren B. Perkins; Library Committee, Charles Nichols, Warren B. Perkins, William R. Cutter; Historian and Biographer, Rev. Leander Thompson.

A communication was received from Mrs. Choate, presenting a portrait of her late husband, Hon. Charles Choate, one of the first members. There was also presented to the society the hearthstone taken from the Hastings house in Cambridge, which was occupied by the committee of safety during the revolution, and General Washington and Rev. Jabez Fox. Mr. Fox was the second minister in Woburn, and the house was later occupied by the Holmes family. Other and valuable donations were made to the museum and library.

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Providence Permitting,

There will be a meeting held in the Unitarian Chapel on Sunday, April 11, at 2.30 o'clock, P. M., through the mediumship of Mrs. D. E. Ware: Subject for consideration, "Why I am a Medium." After speaking tests will be given. Admission 10 cts. All investigators should attend.

TOWN WARRANT

TOWN OF WOBURN.
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
MIDDLESEX ss.
To either of the Constables of the Town of Woburn in said county. GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Woburn, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet at Lyceum Hall, in said Woburn, on MONDAY, the Fifth day of April next, at seven and a half of the clock, A. M. to act on the following articles, viz:

ARTICLE 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ARTICLE 2. To determine what amount of compensation shall be paid the Collector of Taxes, as required by Section 81, Chapter 12, of the Public Statutes.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will authorize its Collectors of Taxes to use all means of collecting taxes, which the Town Treasurer, when appointed collector, may use, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to consider the recommendation for appropriations for 1886-7, the payment of Town Officers, and amount of bonds to be given by Town Officers and report at adjourned meeting, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 5 To choose all necessary town officers to serve the town the ensuing year, including one Commissioner of Sinking Funds for three years; one Water Commissioner for three years; one Cemetery Commissioner for five years; and three Trustees of the Public Library, one for three years, one for two years, and one for one year, all on one ballot, also three members of the School Committee for three years on a separate ballot.

ARTICLE 6. To bring in their ballots as required by Section 5, Chapter 100, of the Public Statutes, on the question: "shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?"

ARTICLE 7. To hear and act on the reports of the Auditors, Selectmen, School Committee, Library Trustees, Cemetery Commissioners, Water Commissioners, Sinking Fund Commissioners, Chief of Fire Department, Chief of Police, and Town Clerk, for the year ending February 28, 1886.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will authorize their Treasurer, under the direction of the Selectmen, to hire money in anticipation of taxes to be assessed and collected.

ARTICLE 9. To determine what amount of money the town will raise and appropriate for the support of the poor; for highways, bridges and sidewalks; for new roads; for the support of the schools and for school purposes; Fire Department, Library; Town Officers; interest on Town debt; Sinking Funds, Street Lights; Police; Health, and all other necessary appropriations.

ARTICLE 10. To see what disposition the Town will make with the money received from the County for dog licenses.

ARTICLE 11 To see if the Town will vote to accept a list of persons qualified to serve as Jurors as revised and submitted by the Selectmen, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will provide for the payment of notes, one of which has become due February 20, 1886, for $10,000, and one will become due May 1, 1886, for $4,500, under provision of Chapter 133, Acts of 1882, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 13. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the observance of "Memorial Day," and how the same shall be expended or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the town will authorize its Treasurer to pay State Aid to volunteers or their dependents, under the direction of the Selectmen.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to revise the Town By Laws, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to consider the propriety of selling the land now occupied by Armory and School house, or land and buildings, or the removal of said buildings, and providing accommodation for Armory and Lockup on other location, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote and appropriate a special appropriation of three hundred dollars, to grade Arlington street, to grade of Carter street, at north end of said Arlington street, the gravel or ballast taken off said Arlington street to be strewed on Belmont street the west side of Arlington street.

ARTICLE 18 To see if the Town will release to Czarina Littlefield the easement, privileges, hereditament and right of view which it holds on and over a portion of her estate on Pleasant street and which said easement is fully described in a deed given by Silvanus Wood, Jr., to Bowen Buckman, dated August 8, 1831, and recorded with Middlesex (So. Dist.) Deeds, Book 306, page 351, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 19. To see if the town will vote to accept the bequest contained in the will of John Clough deceased, also to see what measures the Town will take to ascertain and protect its rights under said will.

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will establish the rate of wages for employes on the highways, other than mechanics, at two dollars per day and that fifty-nine hours constitute a full week's work, and that the working hours on Saturday be nine hours.

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will direct that no highway labor be contracted for, or do any thing in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 22. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on laying out a street running westerly from Warren street, near Bath st. as a public way.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will appropriate any money for setting out shade trees on the sidewalks, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 24. To see if the town will vote to change the name of Rag Rock Avenue, so called to Harrison Avenue or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will appropriate for Water Works Construction as recommended by the Commissioners, a sum of money not exceeding $15,000, provide for payment of same under provisions of Chapter 29 Section 9, Public Statutes; or Chapter 133, Acts of 1882, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will provide for the payment of settlement of the Whitney claim and expenses, or do anything in relation to the same.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by causing an attested copy of the same to be posted up at each of the Government Post Offices in Town, and published in the *Woburn Advertiser*, and WOBURN JOURNAL, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and the seal of the Town affixed, this 23d day of March, A. D. 1886.

JAMES MAGUIRE,
WILLIAM C. KENNEY,
WILLIAM. BEGGS,
JOSEPH M. EATON,
LAWRENCE BRADE.
EUSTACE CUMMINGS,
EDMUND C. COTTLE,
THOMAS H. HILL,
JOHN FERGUSON.
Selectmen of Woburn.

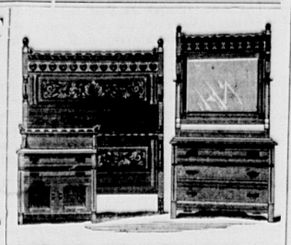
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The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church will hold a reception and sociable in the parlors of the church,
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ADMISSION FREE.
Supper 25 Cents. Ice Cream 10 Cents.
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Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank.
NOTICE.
The regular quarterly meeting of the Trustees of Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank, will be held at their Banking Rooms on Friday, April 2, 1886, at 7.30 P. M., for the transaction of such business as may legally come before said meeting.
E. E. THOMPSON, Clerk.
P. S.—Money deposited on or before Saturday, April 10, 1886, will draw interest from April 1.
E. E. THOMPSON, Treasurer.
Woburn, March 24, 1885.

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Woburn, March 23, 1886.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.
PROBATE COURT.
To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Hannah S. Goodwin, late of Wilmington, in said County, deceased, GREETING:

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and codicil thereto have been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Chester W. Clark, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty second day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

14-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.
PROBATE COURT.
To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Mary O'Brien, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Honora Huse, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock, in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

14-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.
PROBATE COURT.
To the next of Kin, Creditors, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of John Marlow, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Lawrence Reade of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty six.

14-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.
PROBATE COURT.
To the next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Rosanna Doherty, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to George Doherty of said Woburn, and to exempt him from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice, by publishing this citation one a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

14-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.
PROBATE COURT.
To all persons interested in the Estate under the Will of Oliver Bacon, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, given in trust for the benefit of Mary B. Bacon, GREETING:

WHEREAS, John Johnson and John Bacon the trustees under said Will, have presented their petition for license to sell certain real estate therein specified, held by them as such trustees;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the second Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said trustees are ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

14-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.
PROBATE COURT.
To the next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of David O'Brien, late of Burlington, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Margaret O'Brien of Burington, in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt her from giving surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

13-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.
PROBATE COURT.
To the Heirs-at-Law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Patty Fisher, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by John Cummings, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

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THE WOBURN
Skating Academy,
NOTICE.
Montvale Avenue.
Friday evening, April 2. League game of polo. Woburns vs. Bostons. A strong game may be expected.
Tuesday evening, April 6. League game of polo. Woburns vs. Cambridges.
Fast Day, April 8. Afternoon, General Skating, Evening, last N. E. League game of the season. Waltham vs. Woburns.
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Woman's Column.

The woman suffrage movement proper has not yet reached Denmark, although the women of that country are not in other reforms far behind their English-speaking sisters. A Danish Woman's Association was formed as early as 1871, which has numbered among its list of members some of the most noted women in the kingdom. The association publishes a periodical called "Women and Society." It is in pamphlet form and has on its titlepage a wood cut of Queen Margaret. The editor is Elizabeth Grundtvig, who, in a letter written in December, 1885, to Mrs. H. H. Robinson, gives a graphic account of the work of the association and what the Danish women are doing. She says—

The purpose of our association is to improve the condition of woman intellectually, morally and economically and make her an independent and active member of the family and society.

In the first ten years of its life the association founded two schools for women—a drawing school and a commercial school—and both have been of great use. The association has more than seven hundred members. In Denmark we do not get work directly for the women's right to the suffrage. The woman question is to us rather new, and the women themselves are for the greater part conservative, but we hope in a few years to be able to begin that work. When our political conpition—which has for years been such that no acts have been passed to improve it—is changed, we hope to have some reforms in favor of women and are preparing for them through lectures and essays. The reforms that we work for, and shall work to see realized, are—the economical emancipation of the married women; the right of the mother for the custody and guardianship of her children, and woman's right to municipal suffrage. But just now nothing can be done but the pioneer's work.

Miss Edgerton, a graduate of Wellesley, was given permission two years ago to follow a special course of study at Columbia College on the same footing as the graduates of other colleges. She has now been given the privilege of competing for the degree of Ph. D.

The following tribute paid to the memory of Senator Hawley's wife, who has recently died, only strengthens the belief that the highest type of life represents men and women working shoulder, and heat to heart in every department of life's conflict.

Her patriotism was intense. In the war, she followed her husband to the field, and labored to relieve the sick and wounded, and so severely was her nervous constitution taxed that her health broke down. After a rest she resumed her ministrations to the suffering, and was present at the reception of 9,000 prisoners at Wilmington from Andersonville and Florence. Here she exerted herself to the utmost in the hospital, shunning no danger, not even the small-pox. From her labors and exposures during the war, Mrs. Hawley never fully recovered. In her Hartford life she was a woman of Christian faith and hope. In all social, literary and charitable interests she has been prominent. The Legislature of Connecticut passed a minute on her death, Feb. 4, and General Hawley has the deep sympathy of the whole community in his loss.

Lucy Larcom, in these closing stanzas of a poem, preaches a sermon to women. The lines themselves unfold the text.

And what if she be drifted back again
Toward the black whirlpool by temptation's stress?
Say not that her repentance was in vain—
Nor stay thy hand from her in wickedness;
Till she once more stand upright before heaven,
Firm in humility and so endure;
Seven times forgive her; yea, and seven times seven,
Or till thyself art as an angel pure!

Her future is before her; so is thine;
Hers with an evil blight upon her youth;
Thine with all influences to guard, refine,
And lure thy spirit upward into truth.
We stand or fall together; who so shuns
A suffering soul must from God's way depart;
No stumbling block before His little ones
Can hurt them like a cold human heart.
—*Lucy Larcom.*

Let our women say the word, and hundreds of thousands of bird lives every year will be preserved. And until woman does use her influence it is vain to hope that this nameles sacrifice will cease until it has worked out its own end and the birds are gone.

The time is here when the ladies have an opportunity as never before to take action in this matter. The American Ornithologists Union, aroused by the facts coming before them to a realization of the need for some instant and earnest effort to protect the birds, has appointed a committee to take the matter in charge. This committee was lately organized in this city, with headquarters at the American Museum of Natural History at Central Park. It is one of the objects of this committee to gather and to scatter information in reference to bird destruction, and to use every effort to find for our birds at least some measure of relief from the fatal persecution which they now suffer. It is earnestly hoped that the ladies of this city can be led to see this matter in its true light, and to take some pronounced stand in behalf of the birds and against the prevailing fashions. The committee will gladly lend its assistance to the formation of bird-protective societies, or women's leagues bent on discountenancing the use of birds for purposes of adornment.

It is known that even now birds are not worn by some on grounds of inhumanity. Yet little is to be expected from individuals challenging the fashion. Concert of action is needed. The sentiment of humanity once widely aroused, the birds are safe. Surely those who unthinkingly have been the sustaining cause of a great cruelty will not refuse their influence in abating it now that they are awakened to the truth. Already word comes from London that women are taking up the work there. Can we do less? It needs only united action, sustained by resolution and sincerity of purpose, to crush a painful wrong—truly a barbarism—and to achieve a humane work, so far-reaching in its effects as to outsweep the span of our own generation, and promise a blessing to those who will come after.

The committee cordially invites correspondence and the co-operation of every one interested in its cause, promising in turn its best assistance whenever it may be called for.

EUGENE B. BICKNELL, Secretary.
P. O. Box 2958, New York, Feb. 8.

LITERARY NOTICES.

THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY for April, published by D. Appleton and Company, New York, at 50 cents a number, or $5 a year, contains a large number of entertaining and valuable papers, written by authors of eminence in various literary walks. It is one of the best numbers of this excellent magazine yet published. Its contents are: An Economic Study of Mexico, External form the Man-like Apes, The Factors of Organic Evolution, Botany as a Recreation for Invalids, The French Problem in Canada, Mr. Gladstone and Genesis, Comments, The Handwork of School-children, The Teeth of the Coming Man, Earthquakes in Central America, The Gems of the National Museum, The Whipping-post, Sketch of Christian Huygens, Editor's Table, Literary Notices, etc

The April WIDE AWAKE opens seasonably with an ideal Easter picture, On Easter Day, a very lovely drawing by W. L. Taylor; this is followed by a charming springtime poem, Willy's Garden, by Kate Putnam Osgood. Lucy Larcom also has a notable poem, A Ballad of the Hemlock-tree, for which Taylor again furnishes a fine full-page drawing together with text illustrations. Mary Lathbury, too, has an illustrated poem, very piquant, A Fairy Story. There are some excellent illustrated stories: Taz a Taz, by F. L. Stealey, The Button Boy, by A. M. Griffin, The Boy Soldiers of Cherry Valley, by Caro Lloyd, and Diccon, the Foot-boy by E. S. Brooks, besides Pollie Panama and What a Frog Lived Through. The instructive papers in the number are admirable and of great variety: Mrs. Sherwood in Royal Girls writes of Carmen Sylva, the Queen of Roumania, Mrs. Fremont of Madame Becamier and her faithfulness to early friends, C. F. Holder of Feathered Giants, Miss Harris of Alice and Phœbe Cary in her series, Pleasant Authors, Mrs. Treat of Cave Spiders, Julian Arnold of An Arab Dinner Party, G. E. Vincent of Juvenal the Satirist, E. B. Gurton of How to make an Aquarium, Susan Power of What to do in Emergencies, while Mr. Adams goes on with his Search-Questions in English Literature. There are also three fine serial stories in progress. $3.00 a year. D. Lothrop & Co., Publishers, Boston.

H. C. Bunner opens the number with a bright and amusing fanciful story, entitled Casperl, which is illustrated by O. Herford, and by the frontispiece—drawn by Leon Moran. Edward Everett tells how the Vacation-schools in Boston were started; and Charles Barnard, in Sophie Conner and the Vacation-school, explains the inside workings of one of those popular and paradoxically named institutions. Henry Sandham contibutes eleven drawings illustrating both articles. A very interesting Historic Girl is told about by E. S. Brooks. Her name was Woo of Hwang-ho. Frank R. Stockton brings us a little nearer home in his Personally Conducted paper. And there is another of the New Bits of Talk for Young Folk, by Helen Jackson (H. H.). Little Lord Fauntleroy keeps at the same high-water mark it reached in the last installment; Horace E. Scudder's George Washington carries the hero through the campaign with Braddock, and his subsequent military experience as commander-in-chief of the Virginia forces, his courtship and marriage. Henry Eckford shows more Wonders of the Alphabet, each letter of which appears to have an interesting history. Other stories and sketches include: Ben's Sister, a lost-in-the-snow story by Maria L. Pool; An Imprisoned Whale, a natural history sketch by Edmund Collins; and A Visit to Shakspere's School, by the Rev. Alfred Danker. There are poems and verses by Harlan H. Ballard, Sydney Dayre, and Caro A. Lloyd; and pictures by R. B. Birch, Alfred Brennan, and James Monks.

Strikes Lockouts, and Arbitrations is the title of a timely and important article in the April CENTURY by George May Powell. Three anecdotal articles in this number form a most entertaining account of the famous Confederate cruiser Alabama and her duel with the Kearsarge. P. D. Haywood, who was a seaman on the Alabama, describes Life on the Alabama, with graphic humor; Lieutenant Commander John McIntosh Kell, in his paper, gives an authoritative account of the reasons which impelled Captain Semmes to try issues with the Kearsarge, and of the incidents of the fight; while Surgeon John M. Browne of the Kearsarge contributes the Union history of that stirring event. In point both of illustrations and anecdotal interest, these articles are perhaps second to none that have appeared in the CENTURY War Series. In Memoranda on the Civil War, Captain Charles King replies to General Pope, in vindication of his father, General Rufus King. Professor John J. Tigert makes a suggestion in regard to Government Aid in the Marking of Battle-Fields; and Colonel L. B. Northrop, the Confederate Commissary-General, replies to criticisms by Generals J. E. Johnston, Beauregard, and Imboden. A portrait of Longfellow after an ambrotype of 1848 is the frontispiece of the number. It accompanies a paper by Mrs. Annie Fields giving Glimpses of Longtellow in Social Life. Creole Slave Songs is as fully illustrated. Mr. and Mrs. Pennell conclude their Italy, from a Tricycle. Toy Dogs, completes THE CENTURY series on typical dogs. The fiction of the number comprises the third part of The Minister's Charge; the conclusion John Bodewin's Testimony; and two short stories, entitled Sister Tabea, and the other an amusing sketch called April's Lady. Dr. Washington Gladden contributes a thoughtful essay on Christianity and Popular Education. Topics of the Time contains a discussion of the personal and art questions, which are suggested by the proposal to erect a national memorial to General Grant; also an editorial, entitled Good Signs on the Lecture Platform. In Open Letters the Rev. Dr. Charles S. Robinson writes of The Tinkering of Hymns, Courtlandt Palmer of The Tool House, and among the other contributions are Bishop Dudley's answer to the question, Shall the Federal Government give aid to Popular Education? The poems of the number are contributed by Mrs. Cela Thaxter, Miss Winifred Howells, John Vance Cheney, and in Bric-a-Brac, by Charles Henry Webb, Mrs. Martha Wolcott Hitchcock, Walter Learned, and others.

The Population of Woburn

Is about 12,000, and we would say at least one half are troubled with some affection of Throat and Lungs, as those complaints are according to statistics more numerous than others. We would advise all not to neglect the opportunity to call on us and get a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Price 50 cents and $1. Trial size free. Respectfully, Chas. H. Buss, Druggist.

The new Japanese parasols present a pleasing contrast with other styles in their entirely novel shapes, produced by the inverting of the ribs.

His Ignorance Cost Me $150.00.

I was six abed for three months. The doctors said I had Prolapsus Uteri, which was untrue. He didn't try to cure me but wanted to make a $1 50 a day every day. My uncle is a druggist, and he told me to turn the doctor off and try Sulphur Bitters. I did so and five dollars worth of Sulphur Bitters cured me of general weakness and debility.—Mrs. S.——, New Haven.

The polonaise will be again much worn. When of plain material over a striped skirt the vest, collar, revers and large pockets are of velvet.

How It Was!

At the battle of Gettysburg I was shot through the left leg and was sent to the hospital. The army surgeons relieved me but pronounced my case incurable. It discharged pieces of bone, and for years I have suffered with a running sore. I tried everything which my limited means would allow, and experienced no relief until I tried Sulphur Bitters. I am now almost well and shall continue their use.—Old Soldier.

New sun umbrellas are out in handles finished with finely cut carnelian and agate balls, mounted in gold and silver swedges.

Purify Your Blood.

Among spring preparations, do not neglect that which is most important of all—your own body. During the winter the blood absorbs many impurities, which, if not expelled, are liable to break out in scrofula or other disease. The best spring medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It expels every impurity from the blood, and gives strength to every function of the body. Sold by all druggists.

Brown, beige and fawn color are the leading tints of grave colors. Pink will be much worn; the new shade is called Venus.

Scott's Emulsion of Pure

Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, its use in Lung Troubles. Dr. Hiram Cadoretto, of Jacksonville, Fla., says: "I have for the last ten months prescribed your Emulsion, to patients suffering from lung troubles, and they seem to be greatly benefited by its use."

Rosettes of ribbon only a quarter of an inch in width as well as high bows of ribbon are used for trimming bonnets.

How many bald heads you see. Work, worry, disease, dissipation. These do it. Parker's Hair Balsam stops falling hair and restores gloss and youthful color. Exceptionally clean, elegant, a perfect dressing, not greasy. Prevents dandruff.

All the decorative pieces of glass, china, or silver on the fashionable dinner table are tall and high at present.

"How are we ever going to get through our spring and summer's work? We are all run down, tired out, before it begins." So say many a farmer's family. We answer, try Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This is just the medicine you need, and will pay compound interest on the money it cost you.

A Small Variation in Temperature.

Temperature is mainly the secret of success or failure in making butter, and the difference of a degree or two in the cream when it goes into the churn is sufficient to produce a vast amount of trouble in the way of foaming cream, butter not coming, and butter not gathering. It should not be a matter for surprise that this small variation in temperature should produce such results when we think that at 33 degrees all the water in the world is fluid, but at 32 degress it become as hard as a rock, and if this were continued it would make the whole earth uninhabitable.—Henry Stewart.

Model Dairy School in Austria.

At Budapesth, Hungary, the Austrian government has a model dairy school, where from 10,000 to 15,000 quarts of milk are daily manipulated. It has also opened an official wine cellar where farmers can store their vintages if of a saleable quality; have it prepared, classified, and sold under the guarantee of the state seal, as of a certain quality, and at a proportionate price.—Exchange.

Traces of Brick Without Straw.

Excavations made by the English at Tel-el-Kebir, in Egypt, since the battle fought there, have brought to light the remains of a city and traces of the bricks without straw with which the Israelites were obliged to build during their bondage in Egypt.—Frank Leslie's.

New Feat of Electric Lighting.

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THEIR TRIBUTE.

The world had scorned him: to the wall
Had turned his canvas: bent not to the call
Of genius speaking clear
And asking to be heard. Near
Was a canvas on the easel-stand, a palette in the frozen hand.
One night when some one came,
Swept by a sudden fear, to speak his name.
The broken chair was in the old, old place,
But on the silent, peaceful face
Was no desire. The world?—it bore him forth in state;
Carved letters on the royal gate to speak his name,
And wrote it on the scroll of fame in burning gold:
But then, the broken heart was cold.
—George Klingle in Frank Leslie's.

FRUIT TRADE OF CALIFORNIA.

Some Very Interesting Figures—Nuts and Sun-Dried Fruit—Items.

The annual review of the trade in dried fruit and honey of California for 1885 contains many very interesting figures. It appears that the total dried fruit product of the state last year required 110,000,000 pounds of green fruit—equal to 5,500 car-loads—and was of a value of $3,500,000. Of extracted honey the product was 1,500,000 pounds; comb honey 750,000 pounds and beeswax 60,000 pounds—a pretty good showing for the bees. Raisins show an enormous increase, the total output of 1885 being estimated at 470,000 boxes of 20 pounds each, against 175,000 in 1884.

This indicates the rapid advance of what is destined to be a very important industry, and which will keep in the country hundreds of thousands of dollars which now annually go to Spain and other Mediterranean countries. A decided improvement in packing and grading in 1885 was noticed, and is worthy of commendation. We are producing large and constantly-increasing quantities of nuts, the product last year having been 1,250,000 pounds of walnuts, 518,000 of peanuts, 1,050,000 of almonds. In sun-dried apples, peaches, and plums we also do well, the product having been: Apples, 1,070,000 pounds; peaches, 1,500,000, and plums, 1,021,000. We are gradually making headway against the foreign crop of prunes. Producers are beginning to grade and pack their prunes after the French method, and when this is universally done it is predicted that our prunes will take their proper place in the eastern markets.

In 1885 our output was 1,400,000 pounds of French and 150,000 pounds of German prunes, or about the same as 1884. In the line of evaporated fruits less is being done than in sun-dried. The principal items for last year were: Apples, 750,000 pounds; apricots, 350,000 (sun-dried, 300,000); peaches, 400,000. The crop of peaches (all kinds, dried,) was three times what it was in 1884, and bid fair to be quadrupled in 1886. Evaporated apples doubled the product of 1884. Walnuts largely increased, and other products in a lesser degree, a slight falling off in peanuts being noted on account of low prices. All this is a most gratifying exhibit, and gives further evidence of the assured future of the state as a great fruit-producing country.—San Francisco Call.

The Proposed Algerian Inland Sea.

M. Naudin expresses the opinion concerning the proposed Algerian' inland sea, that to fill with salt water the shallow basins of that region would be equivalent to reproducing in Algeria all the evil features of a series of marshes—an opinion held also by many eminent men of science. The deepest portion would, it is admitted, not exceed eighty feet in depth, and the whole coast line would be so shallow as to be but little else than a marshy bank, which, under the influence of a tropical sun for eight months of the year, would, doubtless, become a focus which would develop and distribute all the evils of malaria. An examination of the region between Biskra and the Gulf of Gabes, by competent engineers, shows that the project, if carried out according to the plan contemplated, would necessitate the removal of 20,000,000 cubic meters of sand.—Boston Transcript.

An Exhibition of the Races.

A project has been started in Berlin to establish an anthropological exhibition, which will do with regard to the races of men what zoological gardens do with regard to animals. In the exhibition or garden it is intended that representatives of various races shall permanently reside, while of such races as can not stand the cold of the climate representatives will be brought to Germany to reside there during the summer. An ethnological museum is to be established in connection with the exhibition, which is said to have the support of several capitalists. Possibly the recent success in Berlin and London of Japanese and Indian villages has led to this project, which, however, is a far more difficult undertaking, but which, if carried out, would prove of great public interest. —Frank Leslie's Illustrated.

Discovery of a Silver Mine.

Once a shepherd, caught out upon the hills by night, built a fire under the lee of a pile of stones that he had tossed together. The heat split some of the stones, and in the morning the man saw within one of the cracks a piece of shining silver ore. That happened in Peru, and thus was discovered the mines of the Cerro de Pasco, which have yielded $400,000,000.—Boston Budget.

Pagan Gods as Evil Demons.

The belief that the pagan gods were really existent as evil demons is one which has come down from the very earliest ages of Christianity. It was said in the fourth century that witches rode abroad in the nighttime and feasted with their mistress, who was one of the pagan goddesses, Minerva, Sibylla or Diana.—Exchange.

The Live Weight of the World.

A mathematician who had a little spare time recently weighed the earth, and found it tipped the scales at exactly 5,855,000,000,000,000.

The Pueblo, Cal., nail works will use kegs made of compressed paper.

A Beautiful Easter Card.

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Undressed kid gloves continue to find favor and are largely worn. Dressed kid gloves are also in style and come with elaborately embroidered backs.

I bought medicine at thirteen states, but nothing helped me till I got Ely's Cream Balm. In four days I could hear as well as ever. I am cured of catarrh as well. It is the best medicine ever used.—Garrett Widrick, Hastings N. Y.

I have suffered for years from Chronic Catarrh; I tried Ely's Cream Balm. Relief was instantaneous, and has already resulted in an almost complete cure.—S. M. Greene, Bookkeeper, Catskill, N. Y.

Some Facts for Would-Be Cowboys.

To any one who contemplates trying a season's riding I would say this: You will build up your constitution for life, you will meet rough fellows, hear hard swearing, and see some fighting, but you will hear fewer indecent stories on the range than you will in the average club smoking-room. Your "outfit," or bed-clothing, and equipments, will cost you about half your earnings, and if you smoke freely and do not try to save money the end of the season will leave you neither richer nor poorer. You will often have a wet bed, and thank heaven for getting to it wet as it is; you will always be up before daylight, and generally two hours out of the night as well; you will eat coarse food, everything fried in lard; you will be in the saddle from twelve to eighteen hours every day; you will often suffer for the want of food and water during a long day's work in the hot sun; you will expose yourself to some peril of life and more of limb; you will be for much of the time as absolutely cut off from the civilized world as if you were on a vessel in mid ocean; you will vow three times a day that when you strike the ranch again you will quit; you will be sore and bruised, cold at night and scorched by day, wet to the skin one hour and parched with thirst the next, and for the rest of your life you will look back to your life on the range with longing thoughts of its charms.

Very few men are rich enough to indulge their taste for riding by keeping more than two saddle horses. A "puncher" often rides a dozen, and does much of his work at full run. He breathes the finest air on earth, eats beef as freely as an ordinary working man eats cabbage and potatoes, and fancies the class to which he belongs are the aristocracy of labor. He is generous, always quick to appreciate pluck and kindliness in others, chivalrous to the few women he sees, ever ready to help hang a horse-thief, and undergoes more hardship and danger than a dozen soldiers. —San Francisco Chronicle.

Description of a Wonderful Machine.

"When I was laying the foundation of my mechanical fame and fortune, a few years ago, I boarded in a house filled with locomotive engineers and firemen. A practice prevailed there of enlivening the supper table with social conversation, and, the locomotive party being in the majority, the leading theme of talk was stupendous feats performed in railway runs, varied by minor incidents and records of narrow escapes. George Dewhirst, who ran a lathe in the shop, sat opposite to me at the table, and he got tired of being excluded from the conversation. He became ambitious to hear himself talk in that crowd.

"One evening, catching on in a lull in the conversation, he called out loudly to me, 'Well, I went over and saw the machine to-day, and it is astonishing the fine work it does!' 'How does it work?' I inquired. 'Well,' said he, 'by means of a pedal attachment a fulcrumed lever converts a vertical reciprocating motion into circular movement. The principal part of the machine is a disk which revolves rapidly on a vertical plane. Power is applied through the axis of the disk, and, when the speed of the driving arbor is moderate, the periphery of the machine is traveling at a great velocity. Work is done on this periphery. Pieces of the hardest steel are by mere impact reduced to any shape the skillful operator desires.' 'What on earth is the machine!' demanded a listener. 'Oh, it is a new grindstone,' replied George; and a silence that could be felt passed round the supper table."—Mechanical Progress.

Celery as a Cure for Rheumatism.

In celery there must be some special virtue, if we only knew what it is. Nothing is made in vain, and the powerful smell and the extraordinary taste of celery are intimations from nature that it has some special mission. Mr. Ward, of Perriston Towers, Ross, writes that rheumatism becomes impossible if celery is freely used as an article of diet. "Cut the celery," he says, "into inch dice. Boil in water until soft. No water must be poured away unless drank by the invalid. Then take new milk, very slightly thicken it with flour and flavor it with nutmeg; warm with the celery in the saucepan; serve with diamonds of toasted bread around the dish, and eat with potatoes.

"Permit me to say," he adds, "that cold nor damp never produces rheumatism, but simply develops it. The acid blood is the primary cause and the sustaining power of the evil. While the blood is alkaline there can be no rheumatism, and equally no gout. Let me fearlessly say that rheumatism is impossible on such diet, and yet our medical men allowed rheumatism to kill over 3,000 human beings in 1876—every case as unnecessary as a dirty face."—Philadelphia Record.

Taking Micro-Photographs of Timber.

Photography is employed to recognize good wood. Micro-photographs are taken of sections, longitudinal and transverse, of standard pieces of timber bearing a certain known maximum or minimum strain. These are enlarged and serve as comparisons for other samples. Any piece which the educated eye detects to have fewer rings per inch of diameter, fewer fibres or fewer radial plates per square inch of section is rejected. The advantage of this method is that it allows all timber for important positions to be tested before being used. —Ohio Lumber Journal.

Tons of Coal for a Steamer.

A correspondent asking how many tons of coal a steamer will burn in the run from New York to Liverpool, The New York Sun says: "The consumption varies with the steamer. The largest ocean greyhounds burn from 175 to 300 tons a day, and make the passage in six and three-quarters day. A consumption of 2,400 tons, or a good big ship-load, is not an unusual thing in a passage from New York to Liverpool."—Exchange.

Swans live to the age of 110 years and wild geese to the ripe old age of 150 years.

A Public Benefaction.

How to laundry linen as it is done in Troy, N. Y., has been kept a secret long enough; it can and should be done in every family. The ELASTIC STARCH is the only starch in the United States that is put up by men have a practical knowledge of the laundry profession. It requires no cooking, keeps the iron from sticking and linen from blistering while ironing, and gives shirts, cuffs and collars that stiffness and beautiful polish they have when new, which, everybody knows keeps them clean twice as long. Beware of imitations. See that the name J. C. HUBINGER & BROS., New Haven, Conn., is on every package.

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You can't work to much purpose unless you are well, but you can build up your health and strength with Parker's Tonic, and work will then become easy easy. It sets the lungs, liver and kidneys in working order. Coughs and colds vanish before it. Take it in time.

THE CAUSES OF ANEURISM.

The Mysterious and Dangerous Enlargement of Blood Vessels—Treatment.

A lady writes us, saying, "Please say something about aneurism. What causes it, and what peculiar symptoms belong to it? It seems to be obscure. How can its presence be discovered?"

Aneurism—from a word meaning to enlarge—denotes an enlargement, generally at some one point, of an artery. It may occur in any artery, but is most common is those where the blood pressure is strongest. Hence the aorta of the chest—the large arterial arch into which the heart hurls all the blood for the former to distribute—is most likely to be affected, and that, too, most gravely.

The direct cause is some sub-acute or chronic inflammation of the coats of the artery, resulting in the degeneration of a small patch. The muscular coat, losing its elasticity, bulges out under the blood pressure, into a considerable pouch. Being concealed within the chest cavity, and not necessarily interfering with the health, it may remain for a long period undetected. Indeed, the sudden death of the person from its rupture may be the first intimation of its existence.

Some of the indirect causes of aneurism are rheumatism, gout, kidney disease, intemperance; mental emotions; violent exercise; strain; mechanical impediments to the circulation, as in soldiers, whose tight-fitting coats render it ten times as prevalent among them as among civilians.

It is more prevalent in males than in females, and is more common between the ages of 30 and 60. Cases among the old are mainly due to that arterial degeneration which characterizes age. In the great majority of cases death results from rupture of the aneurism.

No one but a physician can treat it, and he can do nothing without the fullest co-operation of the patient.—Youth's Companion.

Blondes and Brunettes in Germany.

Thirty-two per cent., or almost a third of the German youth, are blondes; 14 per cent. are brunettes; while all the rest, 54 per cent., must be classed as mixed. This mixture is not a homogeneous one, but includes all intermediate varieties. One class of the German population forms a decided exception to these averages, viz., the Jews. Jewish children show only 11 per cent. of blondes, but 42 per cent. of brunettes. Their greater purity of race is shown by the small ratio of the mixed class amongst them. The blonde type is particularly prevalent in Oldenburg and the neighboring more northerly communities; it is rarest in eastern Bavaria and Alsace.

A canton (Wildeshausen) in Oldenburg has 56 per cent. of its population blondes, while Roding, a town in the second group, has only 9 per cent., a difference of 47 per cent. The former has only four brunettes to each 100 inhabitants, while a southern town in Alsace has as many as thirty-one to every 100. The distribution of the blonde type is much wider than that of the brunette type, which is only a secondary type. A canton in Wurtemberg shows the largest ratio of the mixed class, 60 per cent., while Pomerania shows the smallest, 40 per cent. The same contrast between the north and south is shown in Belgium and in Switzerland. In southern Austria the brunette type is especially marked, but here the mixture with the Slavic people adds a complication.—Detroit Free Press.

How to Throw Your Voice.

Almost everybody that has ever heard a ventriloquist throw his voice on the stage, or elsewhere, for that matter, has wished that he could perform the trick just for the fun of it. Anybody that can talk can do this seemingly difficult and marvelous feat if he will only go about it right, and it is not the least bit hard to do under favorable circumstances. In the old senate chamber in the old capitol there are certain stones in the floor, which, if stood upon, conduct the voice to certain other stones several yards away. Persons talking while standing upon these stones have their voices "thrown" thus without the least effort, and the effect upon the listener is most startling when the sensation is experienced for the first time.—Washington Cor. Cincinnati Enquirer.

Trouble with Local Choir Singers.

The trouble with our local singers is that they sacrifice pronunciation to tone and articulation to tone. If one wants to get tone alone one can go out into the woods and listen to the wordless warbling of a bird, or to the seashore and hear the ever varying cadence of the wave, or, to bring it nearer home, one can get a cornet-player to blow his horn into your ear. All these produce tones far finer than those of the human voice. It is only when we combine intelligence with sound that we enjoy the beauties of the human throat. It seems as if our singers want to take out of their music the intelligent wording that is so necessary. The trouble does not lie in our language, but in the mistaken notions of the singers themselves.—Precentor in Globe-Democrat.

Training Himself for the Future.

Frank Buckland, the English naturalist, who died a few months ago, is much talked about in England now. A schoolmate says that Buckland, when a boy, used to get up in the middle of the night, and, designedly, in half-darkness, carefully bind two fagot sticks together, for the purpose, as he said, of accustoming himself to be called upon as a surgeon, half asleep, to do some professional duty under adverse circumstances.—The Argonaut.

Buffalo Breeding Out in Kansas.

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WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John Quigley, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks in a newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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FOR LAWRENCE at 8.22, 9.48, 11.23 A. M., 1.58, 4.18, 5.08, 5.56, 6.40, 7.54, 11.20 P. M. Sunday, 9.28 A. M., 5.28 P. M. RETURN, 6.45, 7.45, 9.30, 11.00 A. M., 12.05, 1.30, 2.15, 4.15, 6.00, 8.45 P. M. Sundays, 8.55 A. M., 4.25 P. M.

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A CURIOUS DREAM.

"'Twas a terrible storm. I remember it as if it were yesterday, and yet I was a mere child. I awoke in the morning to hear the wind moaning through the tree-tops and whistling though every cranny. Here and there on the chamber floor were small drifts of snow, and one, larger than the rest, covered the foot of my bed."

"A real snowdrift on your bed, grandam?"

"Yes, dear, a real snowdrift. I lay there listening to the storm and wishing I were up and dressed, when mother came to the foot of the stairs and called out, 'Matilda?'"

"Yes'm," I drawled out, and then snuggled down among the warm bed clothes for just a minute. Those minutes are generally rather long. I lay there watching my breath turn into white mist, thinking how cold it must be and how I hated to get up.

"Matilda."

"This time it was father's voice, and no one ever thought of disobeying him or even waiting a second, when he was told to do anything.

"'Yes, sir, I'm coming.' I replied, as I bounded out of bed and hurriedly dressed. I took my shoes and stockings in my hand and ran down to the fire to put them on.

"The boys were just coming up from the stable. Tom was carrying a pail of milk in one hand and breathing on to the other to keep it warm. George ran ahead, striking his breast vigorously with his hands. Bill, who prided himself on his strength and endurance, with neither coat nor mittens, walked leisurely along seeing how near he could come to hitting a mark in an old apple tree.

"Mother lifted the breakfast smoking hot to the the table. Those breakfasts! I can see the large platter of sausage, the great dish of baked potatoes, the warm biscuits, the steaming coffee; see us gathered round the white pine table; hear father reverently asking grace and mother quietly responding Amen. Yes I can hear and see it all. Sixty long years ago. Sixty years, can it be possible? Yes, sixty years. And where is that group now—father, mother, brothers? At rest; all at rest."

The gentle grandam paused, wiped the mist from her spectacles, passed the wrinkled hand tenderly over the curly head resting on her knee, and then continued:—

"After breakfast father said he would take us to school. The boys thought the lanes were too badly drifted, but father said he would try.

"Mother filled our basket with bread and butter, doughnuts, and cookies, pie and pickles, and then added several large rosy-cheeked apples. We wrapped up well, drew old stockings over our shoes, and just as father drove to the door we were ready to start. He told the boys to bring along the axe and a shovel, as it was more than likely he'd have to drive through Young's field. We had only driven a short distance on the road, when the snow became so deep that the boys let down the fence and we took to the field. When we reached Young's their children got in, and as we turned the corner we overtook the Henry boys, so that by the time we reached the school-house there was a merry load.

"The school-house was situated on an open prairie, with not a tree in sight. The wind had piled a huge bank of snow just in front of the door, but the boys shoveled a path for the girls to get in. The wind swept through the cracks in the door, and two broken windows let in a regular gale; but Bill Kane stuffed the windows with shawls and comforters, and as the old stove grew red-hot we began to take off our wraps.

"There was good ventilation in those days, none of your double windows and impure air to save coal, and no children going home in the middle of the forenoon with headaches.

"Susie Blake froze her face and Mark Moore rubbed it with snow. Fannie King's hands were both frozen, and Kittie Barns' feet ached so she cried.

"Finally school was called, and the day's work began.

"The storm increased during the forenoon, and the wind grew so furious that it shook the old school-house and came up through every crack in the floor. The snow filled the lane till the fence-posts disappeared.

"Just as school was dismissed for noon, father drove up from one direction and Jim Blake from the other. They both seemed to think that by night the roads would be impassable. While we were bundling up, Jim cried out, 'Wal, 'Squire Day, I 'low this here is what you might call a regular come-down. Bill says as how every lane in the country will be blockaded. Say, have you seen Si Smith since he was in town last?"

"No. Why?"

"'By gosh! if he didn't sell them old critters of his'n for five and six cents; five cents for the fore-quarters and six cents for the hind, peddled 'em out. He says as how its more'n likely some people will need new teeth afore long.' He moved his tobacco to the other side of his mouth and continued:

"'I hearn from Bill Konkey hogs has riz, and I'd like to let go of them four shoats that I got of you in the spring. I 'low they'll go nigh onto twenty hundred, but I fed a powerful lot of corn. I shouldn't wonder if I'd like Tom and Bill to help butcher as Lindey Jane is calculatin' on the lard.'

"By this time all the scholars going Blake's way were piled in his sleigh, and with a 'gerir-up thar, Nance,' and a 'go lang, Bill,' he started down the lane. Then father drove up and we got in.

"The night closed in very early. After supper was over, and the chores all done, we gathered round the fire. Mother and I got out our knitting, and George brought down a bundle of papers from the loft.

"The story was about a white girl that the Indians had stolen. Her brother and lover were hunting for her, and they too were taken captive. George read on and on and the story grew more and more exciting every chapter. Finally mother put her work away and lay down on an old lounge in the corner of the room. By this time George had reached the most interesting part of the story, when mother half rose, looked wildly about, and then cried out in great agony, 'Help, help!'

"Father ran to the lounge and tried to quiet her, but she still continued to call for help and to insist the woman was dying.

"Finally she succeeded in telling us that she had fallen asleep and dreamed that out by the old walnut tree a team was stuck in a drift. She saw a man, a woman and a child. The woman seemed to be unconscious, for the man was trying to awaken her, and the child was crying.

"At last she was persuaded that it was only a dream, probably prompted by the storm and the exciting narrative.

"She lay down again and George resumed the story. He had only read part of a chapter, when mother started up once more and cried wildly for help. This time all reasoning was in vain. She insisted on the team being hitched up and a search made.

"The old walnut tree stood in the middle of the road just two miles west of our place. The night was pitch dark and the wind blew the snow from every direction. It seemed impossible to go that distance such a night, but nothing could dissuade mother. She insisted some one was lost in the snow, and that she would go herself if no one else did. She muffled father and the boys well up, and after putting a lot of matches in father's pocket, for the wind blew the lantern out nearly as soon as it was lighted, she told them again just where she saw the suffering people, and let them start off.

"After they were gone she brought potatoes from the cellar and got them ready to cook, sliced some ham, and put the tea-kettle on. Then she sat down and waited. An hour passed. The wind moaned and sobbed around the house. The snow drifted in through cracks in the window. The candle burned out. She lighted a fresh one and put in more wood. I tried to read, but somehow the story had lost all its interest.

Mother walked up and down, and every now and then went to the door to look out. Another hour passed. The kettle's song was the only thing to break the awful silence.

"At last three hours were gone. Mother went to look out and this time voices could be heard. Soon they drove up in front of the door, and father and George entered bearing a woman in their arms. They laid her on the lounge, and mother began rubbing her hands and feet and applying restoratives. No sooner was the man seated than he fainted, but he soon came to. The child, a little boy about my age, then cried a great deal, but Tom rubbed his hands and face and kept him from the fire.

"After some time they all seemed quite easy, and then mother and I set the table and prepared a good warm supper. While we were at supper, father told us how they found them.

"He said:—'In the first place I had no idea anyone was there, but somehow, Mary's dream impressed me strangely. The boys went ahead with the lantern and tramped down the snow, and in places shoveled a path. Where it was impossible to get through, we let down the fence and went through the fields. At last the old walnut tree came in sight. We reached it and were just about giving up the search, when we heard a moan. Cutting our way through, we came across a team nearly buried in a huge drift. Mrs. Wyland, that was her name, had fallen into a stupor and Mr. Wyland, was trying to awaken her by shaking her vigorously, but his strength was nearly gone, and Robin, the little boy, was crying piteously. We succeeded in diging the cutter loose and—well—here they are now safe and sound.'

"The next day the storm continued, so it was impossible for the travelers to start. Mother and Mrs. Wyland spent the day chatting. Mr. Wyland and father discussed the condition of the country, and Robin and I popped corn and made molasses candy.

"On the following morning the storm had cleared, but the roads were terribly drifted. The Wylands were persuaded to remain till the roads were partially opened."

"Wyland! Why, grandma, that's your name."

"Yes, dear, and Robin Wyland was your grandfather."

Our Dumb Friends.

CURIOUS INCIDENTS.

Your readers would no doubt have been as much amused as I at a sight witnessed from my window the other morning. In an adjacent vacant lot, an old hen was waddling about, enjoying the tender blades of grass and warm spring sunshine, apparently unmindful of the presence of her companions, the English sparrows, that were hopping so spryly about her, when all at once, I noticed one of the birds make a dive for the old hen's tail-feathers. And, having hold of one of them, the audacious little fellow tugged away with might and main to pull it out. If that wasn't "cheek," then what is! Having failed, however in his efforts to secure the coveted prize by force, the persistent robber doggedly followed the helpless old fowl about for several moments, with the idea perhaps that she might possibly drop a feather before long. He finally abandoned the thought, and concluded to put up with a stray rag which he fluttered away with to his nest in the eaves of a neighboring house.

I have another little incident in memory, equally as remarkable, that came to my notice while visiting in the country a couple of years ago. A neighboring farmer was the possessor of an old grey goose that had been allowed to live to a riper age than such fowls usually attain. He also possessed a very old sheep that had long ago outgrown its worth for mutton, and was really of no earthly account on the place, except as a household pet and for what little wool she would yield each year. Remarkable to relate, the old grey goose and the old sheep had formed an attachment for each other that time had served but to strengthen; and the eccentric old goose, instead of associating with "birds of a feather," or those of its kind, could be found any day following its four-legged friend about until it became weary then it would hop upon its old friend's back, and ride contentedly in a comfortable nest it had found there in the soft wool. It was one of the most comical sights I had ever beheld. The idea of a sedate old sheep meandering about with such a curious load upon her back. —F. H., in Our Animal Friends.

Apropos of the slaughter of American song birds, I sat behind a lady at a symphony concert and am sorry to say that she had ornamented the back of her hat with the heads of twenty birds; scarlet tanagers, I believe, they were. I know ladies who will not purchase or wear the plumage of an insect-eating or song bird. If all our ladies could know how cruel and injurious the fashion is, we should soon see more birds in the trees and fewer in the millinery shops.

A BLIND SPARROW.

Last spring, one of the birds in Dr. Prime's collection—a gray sparrow—became blind. Straightway, a little dark brown and white bird, known as a Japanese nun, and named Dick, became the sparrow's friend. The sparrow's home had a round hole as a doorway. Little Dick would sit down on a perch opposite the hole and chirp. The blind bird would come out, and guided by Dick's chirps, would leap to the perch, and so on to the seed cup and water bottle. But the most curious part of the performance was when the blind sparrow would try to get back into the house. Dick would place the sparrow exactly opposite the hole by shoving him along the perch. When opposite, Dick would chirp and the blind bird would leap in, never failing. —Pres. Observer.

"Now look about you in church, and ask what that charming lady, with a humming bird in her hat, would have done had she been there. She would have caught the little brooding mother-bird and choked it to death. She would have taken advantage of the chivalry and heroism of the little husband, to catch him as he charged down upon her, and have wrenched his soldierly neck. Then she would have robbed the nest, blown the specks of gold out of the pearly eggs skinned the two little birds, and put the whole on her hat.

No, she could not be such a savage as that, you may. But she has done worse! She has paid a savage Carib or Brazilian not only for doing so, but also for skinning the birds alive; for that is exactly what they do in order to enhance and preserve the brilliancy of the plumage. Don't be too hard upon her. She had not seen it in this light before. We will warrant that she will buy no more humming birds for her hat."

The Root of the Evil.

To thoroughly cure scrofula it is necessary to strike directly at the root of the evil. This is exactly what Hood's Sarsaparilla does by acting upon the blood, thoroughly cleasing it of all impurities, and leaving not even a taint of scrofula in the vital fluid. Thousands who have been cured of scrofula by Hood's Sarsaparilla testify to its wonderful blood purifying qualities. Sold by all druggists.

Probably the first American establishment for the exclusive manufacture of edged tools was founded by Mr. Samuel Collins, at Collinsville, Conn., which is now one of the largest establishments of the kind in the world. It was begun about 1826, when the product of a day's labor was the forging and tempering of eight broadaxes.

The Secret art of Beauty lies not in cosmetics, but is only in pure blood and a healthy performance of the vital functions, which can be obtained by using Burdock Blood Bitters.

LITERARY NOTICES.

The April number of GOLDEN DAYS' a first class monthly for boys and girls, published by James Elverson at Philadelphia, is received and contents examined. It is one of the largest magazines for young people published in the country, profusely illustrated, and containing literary matter, in the shape of stories, sketches, narratives, anecdotes, poetry, etc., of the best kind. It also has an elaborate paper on the Sunday School lesson for each Sunday in the mouth which is worth more than the subscription price of the magazine. We can cheerfully recommend GOLDEN DAYS as a thoroughly good, clean and very interesting magazine.

THE NEW ENGLAND MAGAZINE, successor to the Bay State Monthly, for March (April No. not received) has found its way to our table, and although somewhat late considering it had only ten miles to come, it is very welcome. There are a great many very interesting and valuable articles in the number, some of them finely illustrated by competent artists, and there is not an uninteresting one between its covers. As its name indicates this magazine is especially adopted to the wants and tastes of New England readers, and the sons and daughters of New England scattered over the Union, and in carrying out this design the publishers are very successful. It is published at Boston by The Bay State Monthly Company.

The numbers of THE LIVING AGE for the weeks ending March 27 and April 3 contain Grattan, and the Irish Parliament, The Economic Value of Ireland to Great Britain, A Diary at Valladolid in the Time of Cervantes, Sebastian van Storck, Reminicences of my Later Life, by Mary Howitt, A Pilgrimage to Sinai, A Country Village in the beginning of the Eighteenth Century, The Story of the One Pioneer of Tierra del Fuego, American Manners, with instalments of This Man's Wife and Caroline, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4.00 monthlies or weeklies with THE LIVING AGE for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

Pale death beats with impartial foot at the hovels of the poor and turrents of kings.

Nature is frank and will allow no man to abuse himself without giving him a hint of it.

Remember this: However small you consider your possessions there is some one who envies you them.

There is no luck, but there is such a thing as hard work and knowing how to make it answer for what others call "luck."

Real difference of opinion, honestly expressed whenever the subject is serious enough to demand it, always deserves respectful attention and consideration.

No matter how low down man may get there is not more than one in every 100 of them but will prove true to a small trust if his pride be strengthened by your seeming faith in him.

Much of the world is prejudiced against facts, because facts stick to the text and don't go out of the way to concoct a palatable medium for the world's own genteel taste and wise opinions.

One breach of faith will always be remembered, no matter how loyal your subsequent life may be. People may imagine that they trust you, yet all the time they have an eye to the former break.

The Spring Months

Are undoubtedly the best in which to purify the blood and strengthen the system, because at this time the body is most susceptible to the beneficial effects of a reliable medicine like Hood's Sarsaparilla. The feeling of debility, languor, and lassitude, caused by the changing season, is entirely overcome, and scrofula and all humors are expelled from the blood by the powerful reviving and purifying influences of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Do not delay—Take Hood's Sarsaparilla *now*. It is made by C. I. Hood & Co., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass. Sold by all druggists. 100 Doses One Dollar.

Forks were used by the ancients for the same purpose as they now are. A two-pronged silver fork has been found in a ruin on the Via Appia at Rome, and one of five prongs, one of which is broken off, resembling our silver forks, has been found in a tomb at Paestun, and is now preserved in the museum at Naples.

The most obstinate cases of Catarrh are cured by the use of Ely's Cream Balm, the only agreeable remedy. It is not a liquid or snuff and is easily applied. For cold in the head it is magical. It gives relief at once. Price 50 cents.

A cold of unusual severity which I took last autumn developed into a difficulty decidedly catarrhal in all its characteristics, threatening a return of my old chronic malady, catarrh. One bottle of Ely's Cream Balm completely eradicated every symptom of that painful and prevailing disorder.—E. W. Warner, 165 Hudson St., Rochester, N. Y.

The curious and remarkable discovery is reported that a South American shrub, called "aliza," exudes a juice which acts so powerful in stopping flows of blood that when a knife is smeared with it and used for surgical operations, the largest vessels may be severed without any hemorrhage.

Gout, a painful disease affecting principally the fibrous tissues about the smaller joints, has various names, according to the parts affected, as podassa, when in the feet; chivassa, when in the hands, &c.; but whether the attack is first felt in the feet, the hands, or some other part, rub with Salvation Oil at once. It annihilates pain. Price 25 cents a bottle.

MUNROE
Is now offering a large assortment of New Spring Styles in
Stiff and Soft Hats,
Received direct from the manufacturers and made expressly for fine trade. Please favor us with a call.
Munroe's Clothing Store,
Post Office Block, Woburn.

Excitement in Texas.

Great excitement has been caused in the vicinity of Paris, Tex., by the remarkable recovery of Mr. J. E. Corley, who was so helpless he could not turn in bed, or raise his head; everybody said he was dying of Consumption. A trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery was sent him. Finding relief, he bought a large bottle and a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills; by the time he had taken two boxes of Pills and two bottles of the Discovery, he was well and had gained in flesh thirty-six pounds. Trial Bottles of this Great Discovery for Consumption free at W. W. Hill's.

Cathay was the name that Marco Polo applied to China when he visited it in the thirteenth century in the employ of the khan of Tartary. Columbus expected to find this land by sailing westward from Spain.

Scott's Emulsion of Pure

Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, a most nutritious food and medicine. Dr. Lindsay Johnson, of Cartersville, Geo., says: "I take great pleasure in saying your Emulsion has proved itself in my hands a most efficient remedy, in the various wasting conditions calling for such a nutriment."

Harry Brownlee, of Adair county, Iowa, has eaten twenty-three big cucumber pickles in four minutes, and therefore claims to be the champion pickle eater of the State.

Hall's Hair Renewer renews, cleanses, brightens, and invigorates the hair, and restors faded or gray hair to the its youthful color and lustre. People with gray hair should use the Renewer, and thus conceal from the world their bleached locks and advancing age.

The horses of the Numidians and some of the northern nations were in ancient times so docile and well broken that they could be managed by the voice, without rein or bit.

Henry Scoenhals foreman Henry Krug Packing Co., St. Joseph, Mo., uses Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil with his men for sprains, cuts, bruises, chapped hands, etc. It is the best.

When you have spilled anything on the stove, or milk has boiled over and a suffocating smoke escapes, sprinkle the spot with a quantity of salt; this will stop it.

A remarkably handsome woman is said to be the moving spirit in a philanthropical movement in Russia to supply the poor of that country with Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, the great remedy for coughs and colds.

For sleeve protectors, cut off the foot of worn out stockings, turn down a hem, run in a rubber cord top and bottom, and you have a nice pair of sleeve protectors.

If flat-irons are rough and smoky, lay a little fine salt on a flat surface and rub them well. It will smooth them and prevent sticking.

Clean tea or coffee cups with scouring brick. It makes them look as good as new.

Apples keep best in a temperature as near as the freezing point as possible without actually freezing.

The present alphabet, in the course of centuries, grew from the original twenty-two signs of the Phœnicians.

The English walnut is the most profitable nut-bearing tree in California. A full crop is 200 pounds per tree, worth $25.

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Absolutely Pure.
This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders. *Sold only in cans.* ROYAL BAKING POWDER Co., 106 Wall St., N. Y.

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WHAT DOES N'T FIT ONE MAN WILL FIT ANOTHER.
Remember the above fact when you need Clothing; and also remember that the Clothing which the Boston Misfit Clothing Company have on sale is all work that was originally custom made by the leading Tailors of the country. Then bear in mind that we are selling these fine goods at less than half what the tailor expected to get. With our hundreds of suits we can fit you really better than the tailor can by taking your order. Better still, we can give it to you at less than half price.

EXAMINE OUR PRICE-LIST.

$45.00	Spring CUSTOM SUIT	for		$25.00
40.00	"	"	" "	19.00
35.00	"	"	" "	16.00
30.00	"	"	" "	14.50
40.00	Custom Spring Overcoat	for		18.00
35.00	"	"	" "	16.00
30.00	"	"	" "	14.00
10.00	Custom Pantaloons	for		5.00
8.00	"	"	" "	4.00

A few SPRING OVERCOATS, Silk and Satin Lined, fine finish, at fifty per cent. of their cost.
The above garments are all cut and trimmed in the latest style, and are the best productions of the leading Artist Tailors in the Union, such as have for some cause or other been uncalled for, or left on their hands on account of being a misfit. Our assorted stock enables us to fit all—large or small.

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Open evenings till 9 o'clock.
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For Coughs and Colds use Loring's Cough Balsam, 25c. bottle.
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GEO. A. LORING & CO.,
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GIVEN AWAY
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BOSTON.

Very Remarkable Recovery.
Mr. Geo. V. Willing, of Manchester, Mich., writes: "My wife has been almost helpless for five years, so helpless that she could not turn over in bed alone. She used two Bottles of Electric Bitters, and is so much improved, that she is able now to do her own work." Electric Bitters will do all that is claimed for them. Hundreds of testimonials attest their great curative powers. Only fifty cents a bottle at Wm. W. Hill's.

A little four-year old, while praying one night said: "Please, God, bless papa and mamma, and make me a good little girl, and if at first you don't succeed, try, try again."

Philadelphia has eight female physicians whose practice is reported to reach $20,000 a year for each, while others have incomes of $10,000 and twenty-two earn over $5000 each.

The Boston Public Library, which in 1852 had a circulation of from 10,000 to 15,000, to-day has nearly 1,000,000.

If you can arouse curiosity by an advertisement it is a great point gained. The fair sex don't hold all the curiosity in the world.

Some men are born great, some wrestle with the parlor stove, and some have the charge of the kitchen fire thrust upon them.

A friend of ours, absent on a trip to Washington, writes that he has been all through the national capital and considerable of his own.

No lawyer, liquor dealer, banker, or professional gambler, is admitted to the Knights of Labor.

Some of the new dresses have full overskirts shirred on to the long bodice, which is pointed back and front.

"This is a long tramp," said a policeman as he ran in a six foot vagrant.

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, APRIL 9, 1886.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S Horton, 195 Main Street, A. Robie, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at he Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THEY HAVE AGREED.

The leather manufacturers of this town and the committee of Knights of Labor have come to an understanding satisfactory to both sides, as we are informed. The first arrangement was not entirely agreeable to the manufacturers and it was not generally signed by them; neither were the skilled workmen disposed to put up with the prices and attempted equalization. It equalized from three to four dollars a week off from their wages, and gave an advance out of proportion to the value of the services rendered to common laborers. The revised list published in the JOURNAL this week is more equitable and meets the approbation of a much larger number of laborers than the former one, and is also favorably regarded by the tanners because they had a hand in arranging it.

Concessions were made on both sides and as is generally the case when concessions are made and each party is willing to yield something to the other, an amicable settlement was speedily reached, and the articles of agreement and price list have been signed or will be directly. The Executive Committee of the Knights had a delicate task to perform and their office was not an enviable one. They stood between both parties really, and it was not an easy matter to suit each. But they were fair, cool, earnest for settlement, had the best interests of all concerned at heart, and effected a compromise honorable to all.

This community has good reason for feeling well over the friendly and satisfactory adjustment of the labor question here. For a week or two past matters have looked squally, and many believed a general strike imminent. The good sense of the referees and forbearance of both the manufacturers and Knights, with a strong disposition on the part of each, have however averted a bad condition of things for general business this the town. No reason can be seen at the present time why trade and mechanical operations may not thrive here in summer and the boom started last fall continued and increased in its proportions. With the manufacturer and workmen in harmony as to wages and all other matters pertaining to the leather-making business; with greatly increased facilities, and a strong desire on the part of everybody to see things move, it now looks as though Woburn had started out on a prosperous year. It has not had that appearance during the past month or two; but the threatened labor troubles are now settled to reasonable satisfaction of all parties concerned, and it would seem as though there was no longer anything to interfere with our progress and prosperity.

☞ A long and interesting hearing was given representatives of Boston and other parties by a legislative committee last week on a petition by the city for power to take and appropriate water from Shawsheen river for the use of its inhabitants. A survey has been made by competent engineers of the river, its capacity to supply the amount of water needed, and the route through which pipes will be laid it the prayer of the petitioners is granted. The proposed route follows closely the old Middlesex canal through Woburn, by Horn and Winter Ponds, to the city's pumping works further on. Boston needs a larger and better water supply. Several witnesses, who were heard by the committee, told the story of the Mystic supply as it now and will exist. In less than ten years it must be abandoned whatever is done to preserve its purity. Mystic Valley is rapidly filling up with population, and even should the recommendations of the Metropolitan Sewerage Commission be adopted the drainage which will naturally flow from the densely packed residences and their appurtenances will contaminate the ponds to a degree that will render them totally unfit and useless as a source of Boston's water. Every person of common sense and the least degree of observation sees this, and the opinion has prevailed for some years that it is only a question of time, and short at that, when Boston must look elsewhere than the Mystic ponds for its water supply. This is a very strong point in the argument favoring legislative permission to take water from Shawsheen river. In a very short time the tanneries of Woburn will be among the least important of the sources of pollution to Boston's Mystic system, for the Valley will soon become one solid, compact village, and no argument is needed to demonstrate what the effect of that condition of things will be on the quality of the water of the ponds.

☞ Last week we received, with the compliments of Hon. Carroll D. Wright, "The 17th Annual Report of the Massachusetts Bureau of Statistics and Labor," of which he is the Chief, and he has our thanks for the same. The contents of the volume, after introduction, are Henry Kemble Oliver, with portrait, first Chief of the Bureau, now deceased, which is an interesting biographical sketch of that gentleman; Co-operative Distribution in Great Britain; Profit Sharing; Food Consumption; Quantities, Costs and Nutriments of Food-materials; Art and Industry, illustrated. There subjects are sub-divided, altogether making a report of great value to the people.

☞ Gov. Robinson laid aside his robes of State last Monday and Moderated the Chicopee Town Meeting as well as the best of them could have done it. Another instance of the Governor of a State being chosen and acting as Moderator of a Town Meeting probably can't be laid a finger on in history. U. S. Attorney General Stearns was also active in the Chicopee meeting.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

W. E. Carter—Rink.
T. C. Evans—Stetson.
Mrs. Loring—Wanted.
F. H. Lewis—Concerts.
Journal Offie.—To Rent.
E. F. Johnson—Adm's Sale.
A. Cummings—Elegant Store.
Susan T. Greenough—Citation.
Emerson & Goddard—For Sale.
Geo. P. Rowell & Co.—Mis. Ads.
Horace Dodd—Emerson's Pianos.

— Read the card of Mrs. Loring in this paper.

— We suffered a big, cold N. E. rain-storm on Tuesday.

— The Water Board have chosen Charles Porter Chairman.

— Messrs. Emerson & Goddard offer a very desirable dwelling for sale. See their card.

— For political whirlagigs, cyclones and upheavals we honestly think Woburn is entitled to the world's champion belt.

— Mrs. Patty Hatch of Wells, Maine, paid a visit to friends here the last part of last and fore part of this week.

— We have received from S. R. French a copy of the Tennessee State Board of Health Bulletin, from Nashville, for which we return thanks.

— Prior has been putting big stocks of goods into the famous Woburn Bargain store this week. The store is brimful, and prices lower than ever.

— Rev. Mr. Hilliard, rector of Trinity church, will preach at All Saints Chapel, Montvale, next Sunday at 3 o'clock. The public are cordially invited.

— Mr. Dickinson's illustrated art lectures in Tremont Temple this and last week have been patronized by some Woburn people. They are grand lectures.

— The Town Meeting last Monday was as quiet and orderly as anything could be. There was no disturbance anywhere, and jolly good feelings prevailed all round.

— A correspondent at Winchester sends us a letter about some of the Knights of Labor there which we will ponder over. A good rule is: when in doubt stop and ponder.

— To-morrow night winds up the League games of polo at Carter's Academy. The contest will take place between the Woburns and Salems, which everybody will want to see.

— We hear of house building all over town, and of carpenters and other mechanics having their hands full of business. It is perfectly safe to predict more building here this season than ever before.

— We note by the papers that our former respected townsman, W. V. Kellen, Esq., is likely to get a good job from the State in connection with some sort of an overhauling or rearrangement of the public laws.

— It will always pay to read carefully the advertisements in this paper. The JOURNAL'S advertising columns are always interesting simply as samples of literary work, let alone the valuable information they contain.

— In the course of two or three weeks we shall publish "A legend of Rag Rock," written by Judge P. L. Converse. It will deal with Indian history considerably and prove very interesting, no doubt, to Woburn readers.

— The men who want to sell rum under the law's protection are terrible tickled over the outcome of Monday's contest on the question of license. After May 1st they will have things all their own way with a nub to it.

— A tremendous strong wind accompanied the extraordinarily heavy rain on Tuesday. The greatest damage done by it here was to turn the editor's cotton umbrella several times during the day and smashing one of its ribs.

— Last Monday Wakefield voted almost two to one against license. Good for Wakefield! Stoneham voted against license by 145 majority. Also good for Stoneham! Reading voted for prohibition. Likewise good for Reading!

— Mr. J. M. Ellis has a large gang of men and horses at work on the foundation of the new Pleasant street depot, the erection of which will be under the supervision of Mr. G. M. Kimball, Chief Engineer of the B. & L. R. R. Co.

— More idle men are seen on our streets than ought to be seen at this time of the year. Now that the differences between the manufacturers and Knights have been settled it is expected that most of the idlers will go to work.

— Dr. George S. Dodge and Hon. B. F. Whittemore delivered some sterling temperance addresses in All Saints Chapel last Sunday afternoon. There are no more earnest or successful temperance workers anywhere than these two gentlemen.

— Mr. William Johnson made such an efficient road-master when he was on the Board before, and everybody liked him so well, and so few complaints were entered against him, that he will probably be placed in that important position again this year.

— Mr. G. F. Parker, an extensive quarrymen and dealer in stone at Milford, N. H., was in town last week looking after business interests. At one time and another our town authorities have brought considerable stone for street work of Mr. Parker.

— The Board of Trade will hold its annual election for the choice of officers, on the evening of April 20. Some changes will probably be made in the constitution and by-laws at that time. There will also be an anniversary celebration of some proportions.

— There was a very pleasant surprise party at the cheerful residence of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dickinson, last Thursday evening week, given by their numerous warm friends in honor of their Crystal Wedding. It was an agreeable occasion from first to last.

— It is said that the Union ticket for members of the School Board was considerably scratched by the women last Monday. A good many of them were not quite satisfied with all the names on the list, and that they exercised pretty freely the constitutional right to scratch.

— We are indebted to the Department of Agriculture for quite a mess of garden seeds for spring planting. We must repeat our request of last year, to wit; if the Department wants us to test the quality of its seeds it must send on a little strip of land to plant them on, for we haven't any.

— Whittemore and Clark's Minstral entertainment last Saturday night drew an immense crowd at Lyceum Hall. Every available inch of space was occupied by a delighted audience. The entertainment was an excellent one, which is the kind Whittemore and Clarke always give.

— Twenty-three copies of the Report of the State Drainage Commission are placed in the Library for the use of the public by Senator Harlow and Representative Crane. They can be taken out in the same manner as an ordinary library book, and should be read at once by all our citizens.

— When the reform people of Woburn learn to let "availability" go to the dogs and nominate candidates for office who will command the respect and confidence of business men, who are clean, intelligent, and have the best interests of the town at heart, they will succeed at the polls, and never until then.

— We received an unexpected and pleasant call, although brief, from Mr. Charles Spear last Monday. He has been confined to his house about four months by serious illness, and Monday was the first time he had been out during that period. He is on the road to ultimate recovery, we are glad to know.

— Mr. W. R. Cutter, Librarian, has written a very interesting paper for the Rumford Historical Association on the ancient house in Cambridge from which the hearthstone lately presented to the Association was taken. We shall publish it next week, and at the same time assure our readers that they will find it very entertaining.

— Walbridge Brothers 23 Washington street, Boston, sell carpets and furniture as low as any house in the city and give as good satisfaction. They are square-dealing gentlemen, and keep firstrate stocks, which are sold on easy terms. Woburn customers will find the Friend street entrance to Walbridge's store the handiest.

— Mr. F. H. Lewis will give the opening Concert of a proposed series, next Wednesday Evening, April 14. A fine program of Piano-Forte music has been arranged and the entire program will be performed by Mr. Lewis. Armory Hall has been selected for the place; eight o'clock the time. The advertisement on this page gives the full particulars.

— Keene Brothers of Lynn have at last yielded to the demands of the Knights, taken back the shoemakers, and gone to work. They were badly situated: on one side were the Knights and on the other threats of suits by the proprietors of factories who were deprived of power and heat by the shutdown of the Keene Brothers shops. They had to come to time.

— C. M. Munroe is now offering the largest line of spring overcoats and suits ever shown to buyers in this town. New, stylish and well-made garments at prices as low as the lowest. Also a complete assortment of stiff and soft hats comprising all the latest styles and shapes. Please give Mr. Munroe a call and examine one of the largest and best stocks ever displayed in Woburn.

— A small party of relatives and intimate friends assembled at the residence of Dea. F. K. Cragin last Monday evening and celebrated in a pleasant way the 81st anniversary of his birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Cole had arranged the affair so quietly that the Deacon knew nothing of it until the company met in the parlors. Offerings of flowers were brought, and a modest repast provided. Early hours were kept by the visitors.

— We think truly, if Fast Day were to be abolished nobody in the world would suffer a mite by it. Its original character and design has become warped and twisted out of all manner of shape and instead of being a day devoted to religious observances, as would be proper and right, it is a holiday on which all sorts of sports are indulged in. It has become worse than useless as a day of prayer, fasting, etc. and better be done away with.

— The symposium, of which the JOURNAL has made frequent mention of late, will open about the 20th instant, instead of the 15th, as stated in our last issue. It has taken a little longer to prepare for it than was at first expected, and likewise, to have it sooner than the 20th, before the robins all get here and the dandelions are in bloom, the originator thought would be forcing the season just a little, a thing he would not be guilty of.

— Mr. Amos Cummings's new store attracts people very strongly. Every one is delighted with it—it is so neat and handsome, the light is so fine, and the goods show to such excellent advantage. There is ample space too in which to turn around, and the large throngs of customers do not discomode and put each other out while examining the varied and beautiful stocks which the great store contains. We would not mention it for the world, but ladies look a great deal better, and their nice dresses and bonnets show off much more advantageously to them, than they did when all were huddled together in about one-half the space the new rooms contain.

— Well, what next? Several things. If Chief Nelson gets the grand bounce, of which there is doubt, then will it be our friend Michael Walsh or our other friend Charles K. Conn for Chief? Nelson is popular. He has won the respect and good will of about everybody during his official career here, and we shouldn't wonder if he were asked to stick. Conn and Walsh are equally solid with the people and if we were compelled to decide which would get it, we should flip a copper.

— Capt. Merrill W. Strout of this town exhibited to us, a day or two since, commissions from Governor Robert P. Dunlap and Governor John Fairfield, of Maine, dated in 1834 and 1839 respectively, giving him command of Militia companies at Durham in that State. He was Captain of a Company at the time of the famous "Madawaska war," but was not ordered to the sanguinary field. Captain Strout has preserved his commissions so that they have become real curiosities.

— If "no" didn't win at Town Meeting the temperance people can find consolation in the fact that the canvass gave them an opportunity of enjoying a good many firstrate temperance meetings, the influence of which will never be entirely lost. The managers made things lively and produced a good deal of uneasiness in the breasts of license advocates. They worked faithfully and did all that anybody could to carry the town for prohibition, and the cause of its failure cannot be laid to them.

— Since Monday night the JOURNAL has been mousing here and there about town for any crumbs of comfort from the election that might possibly be lying around loose and not entirely in vain. Positive pleasure was found in the re-election of Treasurer James Neal Dow, and Tax-collector John G. Maguire, for they are good town officers, honest men, kind neighbors and genial gentleman. That was quite a crumb. There were several other ones of less magnitude found, and on the whole the JOURNAL is not so unhappy as it might be.

— Thomas H. Hill will get back to his old desk as Clerk of the Board. There are enough members who are his personal friends to put him there. Thomas will feel at home in the position which he held so long and lost last year by a member going back on him. For the best interests of the town we should hope Mr. John Ferguson will be made Chairman and Clerk of the Almshouse Committee. It would be hard to find another as good man for the responsible place as Mr. Ferguson is.

P. S.—This was written before the organization.

— Last Tuesday evening the officers of Perseverance Division, S. of T. were publicly installed at Fraternity Hall, by D. G. W. P., A. A. Murray of Dorchester, as follows: W. P., A. A. Fish; W. A., Annie Darrach; R. S., Hattie Knights; A. R. S., Mrs. Redford; F. S., Jessie Crowell; T., H. Whitford; Chap., Mrs. DeLand; C., D. F. Drrrach; A. C., Ella Howard; I. S., Mrs. Holton; O. S., A. Crowell; P. W. P., C. W. Dorr. Following the installation ceremonies was a nice collation in which all participated. Conversation and social pleasures filled up the time to 11 o'clock.

— Mr. Wat Brown, the Church Avenue gateman, began work on the B. & L. R. R. April 3, 1834—52 years ago last Saturday. He hired out with Mr. Sheldon who had a contract from the Company to build a certain part of the road. Mr. Brown also worked for Mr. Sheldon in removing Pemberton Hill in Boston, with which eleven acres of land, 14 feet deep, was made on which Causeway and other streets, once Charles River, were built. He has been in the employ of the B. & L. for a great many years, and has been a faithful employe. What Wat don't know about the history of the Boston and Lowell railroad is not worth finding out.

— The town did a wise and proper thing to re-elect Mr. Henry M. Aldrich a member of the School Board. During the term he has served no member has been more faithful or done better work than he has. Considering his high standing on the Board it was almost a wonder that Mr. Aldrich was chosen for another term. William F. Kenney served out Rev. Fr. Murphy's unexpired time and was re-elected last Monday. His associates say he has done very well indeed for a new member, and as he is a newspaper man and deserves it, it affords us pleasure to speak a good word for him. Mr. H. Eustace Smith was an excellent choice. We do not believe a better one could have been made. His election gives satisfaction to all sides and it will be found that he is the right man for the place.

— The temperance meeting at the First Congregational church last Sunday evening was a very large and enthusiastic one. The auditorium and galleries were filled with interested ladies and gentlemen, and the services were excellent. A chorus choir of 40 fine voices accompanied by organ and Mr. Marrinan's cornet furnished music appropriate to the occasion, which was filled in between the speaking and was very much enjoyed by the audience. Dr. March read the scriptures, prayed and read off the hymns, and the speakers were Rev. Dr. Wallace of Manchester, N. H.; Rev. D. D. Winn, pastor of the Woburn Baptist church; Rev. N. B. Fisk, pastor of the M. E. church, and Rev. H. A. Westall, pastor of the Unitarian church, who spoke in the order named. Each address was sound, able, spirited and right to the point. They advocated prohibition and struck telling blows against license and the rumsellers. The meeting lasted to well towards 9 o'clock and there was no uneasiness or impatience manifested by the immense crowd of people present.

— The last meeting of the Woman's Club was held on Friday, April 2, in the vestry of the Unitarian church. It was largely attended. Mrs. Winn, the wife of the pastor of the Baptist society, read a very interesting paper on "German Home Life." Although the lecturer avoided comparisons it was evident that during her comparatively short experience of American life the growing evil, lack of thoroughness, had not failed to impress her. The references to German persistence and painstaking, with which the paper abounded could not but cause her hearers to make comparisons for themselves and reflect with renewed uneasiness on the tendencies of the time in their own country. At the close of the lecture some fine specimens of needlework were shown. These had been done by Mrs. Winn herself at the time of leaving school, for it seems that in Germany, every girl before graduating must give proof of her skill in sewing as well as of proficiency in her studies. The next meeting will be held on Friday, April 16, in the vestry of the Baptist church. Dr. Emma Culbertson will speak on the subject of "Hygiene."

— Senator Harlow asked the Senate to admit the petition of the directors of the North Woburn street railway for authority to extend its tracks to Winchester, "If the Senate will do this," said Dr. Harlow, "I will promise not to ask them to do it again for at least two weeks." The Senate laughed and admitted the petition. A hearing will be given on the petition and it is not expected the bill will meet with serious opposition from anybody. The parties applying for permission to extend the No. Woburn Street Railway to Winchester are out of town men, the present Company having nothing to do with it. If the charter is granted and everything goes as it is expected to go, the present No. Woburn Company will sell out to the new concern and other hands will take the bellows. The enterprise means something more than an extension of the present road to Winchester, namely, a further extension to Arlington or Medford, and a continuous line of street railway from North Woburn to Boston. This is undoubtedly the aim of the new company, and it will be carried through. There would be local business on the line to make it pay from the start, with an excellent prospect for a large and rapid increase. With this road and the Woburn, Stoneham and Saugus line, this place would be well supplied with street railway accommodations.

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We carry through the whole year a large and assorted stock of

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And have already received and early invoice of our SPRING STYLES, and can furnish your Parlor, Sitting-room, Dining-room, Kitchen and Chambers, lower than anybody in Boston.

Persons contemplating buying this Spring, should take this opportunity of looking our stock over before the season opens.

CASH OR EASY PAYMENTS.

CONCERTS.

MR. F. H. LEWIS proposes to establish a series of Concerts in Woburn to be given by himself with the assistance of Arsists prominent in the Musical Profession. The plan includes Piano-Forte Recitals, Chamber Concerts (Piano-Forte with other Instruments), Vocal Recitals, and Organ Recitals, possibly.

The amount necessary to defray expenses will be guaranteed by subscription in this manner:

Each season the number of Concerts and the talent engaged, will be determined by the number of subscriptions received before a certain date to be publicly announced; in other words, the demand for tickets must be sufficient to defray expenses, if the plan is to be successfully carried out.

The first Series will be given in Armory Hall, and will consist of Two Entertainments, the first of which will be a Piano-Forte Recital given by Mr. Lewis, Wednesday Evening, April 14, 1886, and the other to be arranged for Wednesday Evening, April 21, 1886.

The price of subscription is One Dollar. This entitles the subscriber to Two tickets to each Concert,—Four tickets in all. Those who desire to subscribe will please send their name to Mr. Lewis, or fill out subscription cards at the Apothecary Stores of W. W. Hill, or C. H. Buss, BEFORE 9 P. M. Monday, April 12. Commencing Tuesday, April 13, tickets can only be had at Fifty Cents each.

☞ Tickets ready for delivery at the above stores, on Tuesday, April 13.

HORACE N. CONN,

Insurance Agent and Broker,

159 Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

The Result.

Below is given the result of the Town Meeting held here last Monday. It was a victory for the parent stem of the Democratic party over a small, ambitious offshoot, and it was neatly done too. True they failed to elect the best man on their ticket, but defeated all of the best men on the "reform" one, and elected the two or three candidates most obnoxious to the "better element" of the party. Excepting Mr. Cummings and one or two others, "reform" candidates, there wasn't a penny to choose between the two tickets. The vote showed this, for parts of both were elected, but those over whom the warring wings of the Democracy made a bitter fight were elected by the Bourbons, or parent stem, wherein is to be found their victory. In our opinion this is the last time the real friends of a good town government will turn in and take a hand in a Democratic fight. Reader, here are the names and figures:

TOWN CLERK.

*Montressor S. Seeley,	1790
Horace N. Conn,	52
Winthrop Hammond,	13

C. H. Nichols, E. E. Thompson, John Ferguson, Allen Robie, 1 each.

TOWN TREASURER.

*James N. Dow,	1870
G. R. Gage,	2

Mark Downs, Michael Golden, 1 each.

SELECTMEN.

*William C. Kenney,	1829
*Charles A. McDonald,	1721
*William Beggs,	1208
*William Johnson,	981
*Lawrence Reade,	968
*John A. Doherty,	957
*John Ferguson,	942
*Thomas H. Hill,	929
*Michael Golden,	920
Jacob A. Ham,	917
Benjamin F. Kimball,	914
Charles H. Nichols,	904
Edmund C. Cottle,	891
Fustace Cummings,	887
Phineas G Hanson,	881
Charles Porter,	740
James Skinner,	52
Griffin Place,	6
James Maguire,	4
G. F. Jones,	3

Albert Thompson, M. S. Seeley, James N. Dow, G. P. Bartlett, Geo. E. Waters, 2 each.

Martin Hayward, John I. Munroe, D. W. Bond, J. R Carter, Richard Terrett, B. F. Whittemore, L. L. Whitney, W. R. Putnam, L. Thompson, E. E. Thompson, F. A. Flint, 1 each.

COMMISSIONER OF SINKING FUND, 5 YEARS.

*Leonard Thompson,	979
Edward D. Hayden,	897

P. H. Claffy, Michael Golden, 1 each.

WATER COMMISSIONER, 3 YEARS.

*Patrick H. Claffy,	968
Griffin Place,	907

CEMETERY COMMISSIONER, 5 YEARS.

*John B. Davis,	929
Leonard Thompson,	896
John Wyman,	46

COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

*John G. Maguire,	1864
John B. Davis,	2

Charles A. McDonald, F. H. Crosby, Griffin Place, 1 each.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

Three Years.

*Albert Thompson,	974
Jacob Brown,	896

Two Years.

*James H. Conway,	963
S. F. Trull,	901

One Year.

*George P. Bartlett,	1845

S. W. Kelley, Patrick McCarthy, J. K. Doherty, 1 each.

AUDITORS.

*John A. Walsh,	1847
*Walter W. Noyes,	963
*Frederick A. Flint,	945
George E. Waters,	941
Frank F. Dodge,	889

J. A. Doherty, M. S. Seeley, M. Littlefield, John Wyman, J. S. Huse, C. K. Conn, 1 each.

SEXTON.

*Lawrence Reade,	953
Charles E. Tripp,	903

Patrick McCarthy, C. K. Conn, 1 each.

CONSTABLES.

*Thomas Mulkeen,	1840
*James K. Doherty,	1837
*Charles K. Conn,	1005
*John Quigley,	968
*Michael Walsh,	896
Wilmont D. Nelson,	885
Thomas Quinn,	865
Richard Terrett,	804
James Crosby,	15
Bryan McSweeney,	4

S. H. Cutter, Edw. Simonds, J. A. Ham, C. H. Nichols, 2 each. G. Place, Wm Johnson, John Sawyer, Arthur B. Wyman, John B Davis, John A. Walsh, Albert Thompson, J. E. Tidd, William Beggs, 1 each.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 3 YEARS.

*William F. Kenney,	1589
*Henry M. Aldrich,	1213
*H. Eustace Smith,	1209
George W. Norris,	935
Sewell D. Samson,	934
John G. Maguire,	252
B. F. Whittemore,	76
J. G. Pollard,	4
W. W. Hill,	4

William Johnson, L. Thompson, F. W. Graves, M. S. Seeley, G. P. Bartlett, 2 each. Eustace Cummings, W. A. Colegate, E. D. Hayden, Charles D. Adams, 1 each.

LICENSE.

Yes, 955.	No, 827.

The following officers were elected *viva voce*

Pound Keeper—Thomas C. Boyce.

Supt of Public Grounds.—Edward Simonds.

Field Drivers.—Edward Clafferty, William Johnson, James Maguire.

Surveyors of Lumber.—C. Littlefield, John U. Munroe, A. S. Wood, Jonathan Tidd, Mark Downs, E. D. Newton, Cyrus Richardson.

Col. W. T. Grammer was elected Moderator.——It was voted to pay the Tax-Collector a salary of $800 for the year to come.——It was voted to authorize the Collector to use all means for collecting taxes which the Town Treasurer, when appointed collector, may use.——The following committee were appointed by the Moderator to consider the recommendations for appropriations for 1886-7, etc. and report at an adjourned meeting: G. F. Jones, John J. Murray, Richard Morris, A. G. Ham, C. H. Buss, F. C. Boynton A. S. Hayward, William Ellard, Charles Porter.——Meeting adjourned to 7.30, p. m., April 12th.

Organization of the Board.

The new Board of Selectmen met last Tuesday afternoon and organized in accordance with the eternal fitness of things, seemingly. Nothing could have been more appropriate than to elect Mr. Laurence Reade Chairman of the Board, and the committees were made up with an eye single to the interests of the town. Thomas H. Hill is the brains of the Board and was entitled by that token to the responsible position of Clerk. It would not do to let John Ferguson stay any longer in the chair of the Almshouse Committee, and he ought not to have expected it, for to the victors belong the spoils, don't yer know. Kenney kicked violently against this change, but was unable to get his minority report accepted, but it ought to have been all the same, for Ferguson has made a good Chairman and Clerk of the Almshouse Committee. And then there is our esteemed friend William Johnson at the head of the Committee on Highways, and *ex-officio* Road-master! Could anything have been better? The roads will have to take up *this* year, you bet! But why comment further? Read the organization for yourselves, gentlemen:

Finance and Claims.—Kenney, Ferguson, Beggs, Reade, Hill.

Assessors.—Hill, M'Donald, Ferguson, Beggs, Johnson.

Overseers of Poor.—Reade, Kenney, M'Donald, Golden, Doherty.

Highway Surveyors.—Johnson, Hill, Doherty, Reade, Beggs.

Military and Fire Department.—Beggs, M'Donald, Golden, Hill, Reade.

Police and Street Lights.—M'Donald, Ferguson, Golden, Doherty, Beggs.

BARGAINS THIS WEEK

—AT—

Copeland, Bowser & Co.'s.

1 lot French Dress Flannels marked down from 50c. to 25c. per yard.

1 lot Light Prints at 4c., cheap at 6¼c.

1 case Cranton Seersucker at 12½c., usually sold at 15c.

1 lot Bleached Cotton, the best we have ever offered our customers, at 8 cents.

Bargains in our Linen Department.

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147 MAIN STREET.

Woburn, Mass.

GREAT SALE

—OF—

DRY GOODS.

Commencing Friday, April 2d, ending Saturday, April 10th.

28 dozen Boy's Shirt Waists for 25, 37½ and 50 cts.
10 dozen Men's and Boy's Calico Shirts, 25 cents.
6 dozen Men's Calico Shirts, collars to match, 50 cents.
Pinhead Check Dress Goods, 12½ cents.
Pinhead Check Dress Goods, 41 inch, 28 cents.
Tricot Cloths, 50 cents.
Remnants Dress Goods, 6 cents.
Remnants of Ginghams, 6¼ cents.
Remnants Best Prints, 5 and 6¼ cents.
Remnants Blue Drilling, worth 20 cents.
Remnants White Pique, 10 cents.
White Check Cambric for children's wear, 7 cents.
White Dorcet Flannel, 7 cents.
White Quilts for $1.00, worth $1.25.
Crash 3½ cents per yard.
Children's Hosiery marked down.
Men's Striped Working Shirts, 32 cents.
White Pearl Buttons 5 cents per dozen.
Kid Gloves 50 cents, worth 62 cents.
Ladies' Night Dresses, 50 cents.
Ladies' Skirts 25 cents.
Holland Curtains all ready to put up, 37½ cents.
1 bale Unbleached Cotton, 40 inch, 6¼ cents.
Many other bargains.

CALL AT ONCE.

F. S. BURGESS.,

AGENT FOR

LEWANDO'S FRENCH DYE HOUSE,

BOSTON, MASS.

All goods for the Dye House should be brought in by Tuesday evening.

Board of Health.—Doherty, Hill, Johnson, Ferguson, Kenney.

Legislature.—Hill, Ferguson, Beggs, Johnson, Reade.

Permits for Moving Buildings.—T. H. Hill.

Voted to meet on the first and third Tuesdays of each month at the same hours as heretofore.

Edward Simonds was appointed Janitor and Probation Officer at the same salary as last year.

On motion of Mr. Hill it was voted that reporters for the press be admitted to all regular meetings of the Board.

Monthly reports of Collector of Taxes and Milk Inspector were received and placed on file.

The Election.

We were neither surprised nor disappointed at the result of the election on Monday. A careful figuring and scrutiny of the situation had prepared our mind for the very thing that happened. That the town would vote in favor of granting licenses to sell rum we believed next to a foregone conclusion. Outwardly we were hopeful and even hilarious over the prospect; inwardly, down by the cold streams of Babylon, with harps hung, etc. The other side were dry, and everybody ought to have known what that meant. The opposition pretended that more rum had been sold since last May under prohibition than formerly under license. We knew they lied. If they had had such a good time selling rum why a determination to change the programme to license this spring?

So far as the Board of Selectmen is concerned the "reform" party didn't lose much in their defeat anyhow. The difference in the character of the two tickets could hardly be discovered with the naked eye. The "clean" people compromised with the enemy and got their reward. A few disgruntled Democrats got up and engineered the "reform" ticket to gratify personal spite, and they accepted the freely offered cat's paw of the temperance folks to rake the chestnuts out of the ashes with. So long as conscientious men, friends of the town, the moral and upright portion of community will allow themselves to be bamboozled into sacrificing principle to help somebody lick somebody else belonging to the same family, and all of a piece, they must expect defeat, and when it comes they have no right to growl.

The simple fact is, excepting the question of license or prohibition, there wasn't a single thing in Monday's contest which a real good man could find anything to "enthuse" over. The town ought to have voted against rum by one hundred majority, and would if all the temperance people had done their duty; but when it comes to the officers—well, how much better off would we have been if the "reform" ticket had been successful? The worst defeated men were those who expected to whip members of their own political family, and themselves got licked.

HALE'S HONEY is the best Cough Cure, 25, 50c., $1.
GLENN'S SULPHUR SOAP heals and beautifies, 25c.
GERMAN CORN REMOVER kills Corns & Bunions, 25c.
HILL'S HAIR & WHISKER DYE—Black & Brown, 50c.
PIKE'S TOOTHACHE DROPS cure in 1 Minute, 25c.
DEAN'S RHEUMATIC PILLS are a sure cure, 50c.

Dark blue, dark green, pansy shades, garnet, bronze and drab are worn by elderly as well as by younger women.

100 Doses

One Dollar. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the only medicine of which this can be truly said; and it is an unanswerable argument as to the strength and positive *economy* of this great medicine. Hood's Sarsaparilla is made of roots, herbs, barks, etc., long and favorably known for their power in purifying the blood; and in combination, proportion, and process, Hood's Sarsaparilla is *peculiar to itself.*

"*For economy* and comfort we use Hood's Sarsaparilla." MRS. C. BREWSTER, Buffalo.

"Hood's Sarsaparilla takes *less time and quantity* to show its effect than any other preparation I ever heard of. I would not be without it in the house." MRS. C. A. M. HUBBARD, North Chili, N. Y. *100 Doses*

One Dollar

Hood's Sarsaparilla cures scrofula, salt rheum, all humors, boils, pimples, general debility, dyspepsia, biliousness, sick headache, catarrh, rheumatism, kidney and liver complaints, and all affections caused by impure blood or low condition of the system. Try it.

"I was severely afflicted with scrofula, and for over a year had two running sores on my neck. I took five bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and consider myself entirely cured." C. E. LOVEJOY, Lowell, Mass.

"Hood's Sarsaparilla did me an immense amount of good. My whole system has been built up and strengthened, my digestion improved, and my head relieved of the bad feeling. I consider it the best medicine I have ever used, and should not know how to do without it." MARY L. PEBLE, Salem, Mass.

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The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box For sale by W. W. Hill.

In Memorium.

Died in Woburn, April 2, Mrs. Margery F. Newhall, wife of A. A. Newhall.

She had been an invalid for many years, suffering from a chronic affection, but managed her family affairs till within four or five weeks, when strength of body and mind gave to the effects of care and labor, and she was prostrated by paralysis, and passed away without suffering any pain for the last few weeks.

She was buried from the Baptist church Sunday April 4th. Funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. D. D. Winn.

She was a person of quiet and peace-loving disposition, esteemed by all who knew her; a loving companion, devoted mother and exemplary Christian. Her end was peace.—N.

Have you these dangerous symptoms,—cough, pain in side or breast, fever, short breath, night sweats, tickling, rising, or soreness in the throat, diarrhœa, nervous debility, asthmatic bronchial affections? If so, use at once Adamson's Cough Balsam.

Velvet basque bodices may be worn with contrasting skirts of silk or wool and tulle or lace. The velvet should be of a dark color.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. Service of praise and preaching at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

METHODIST.—Farewell sermon by the pastor at 10.30a.m.; Sunday school at 12 m.; Sunday School Prayer Meeting at 6 p. m.; General Prayer Meeting at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, Classes Friday evening.

UNITARIAN.—Services at 10.30 a. m. The pastor will preach a sermon suggested by the result of the town election. Subject: "After-Thoughts: Our Duty as Christian Citizens under the License Law."

BAPTIST—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Annual collection for Missions. Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m.; General Prayer Meeting at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7.30.

The Scandinavian Evangelical Society, Y. M. C. Rooms. Sunday, preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 m. Praise meeting at 6.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Bible Reading, Friday at 7.30 p. m. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

Y. M. C. A.—Pra

WINCHESTER.

It is expected that work in the new Swanton street bridge will begin within a short time, and completed as soon as possible.

Last week Officer Plummer surrendered his badge because of a lameness which seriously interfered with a discharge of his duties.

There has been considerable sickness here during the latter part of the winter and early spring. There are a good many convalescents in town.

The following have been appointed Special Policeman: Asa Locke, T. S. Spurr, J. P. Boutwell, Edward Russell, H. W. Hight, Patrick Holland, W. T. Dotton, N. A. Richardson.

In view of the daring burglaries that have been committed here our people are pleased with the increase of night watchmen. It is quite essential that an additional one should be put on, which will be done on May 1st.

The tanners of this place, it is expected, will sign articles of agreement of the same character of those adopted by the Woburn manufacturers and Knights. The Winchester Knights too, so Mr. Mooney of the Executive Committee says, are satisfied with the Woburn conditions and prices.

Several wealthy gentlemen of this place have subscribed to a fund with which to purchase for the boys playgrounds in this village. Their effort to get the town to vote an appropriation for one failed because the town had no legal right to vote an appropriation but liberal-minded gentlemen took hold and secured the coveted grounds for the boys.

The following is the organization of the new School Board: Chairman, Edwin A. Wadleigh; Secretary, Dr. Daniel March; Prudential Committee, James Russell; Com. on Text-books, Dr. Daniel March, Mrs. Shepherd; Truant Officers, J. W. Richardson, A. C. Quimby. Regular meetings of the Board will be held on Saturday afternoons preceeding the first Monday in each month. The vacation of the High School has been extended to April 12.

There still exists considerable of a feeling of opposition to building the new Town Hall, and it is found strongest among the heaviest tax-payers. It is claimed that the vote to build was cast by the non-property-holders, those who pay only a poll tax, which is regarded a wrong inflicted on those who foot the town bills and have large interests at stake. On the other hand it is contended that the heavy tax-payers are the ones who always hold back and oppose public improvements, in which argument there is considerable weight. The hall will be built however, and it will be a good one.

The Selectmen have made the following appointments of town officers:—Field drivers, G. W. Purrington, W. H. Marsh, Warren Johnson, R. C. Hawes, E. H. Stone, W. F. Foster, J. S. Pond, Samuel S. Symnes, A. P. Wells. (This office belongs to the bridegrooms of the past year.) Fence viewers, C. H. Dupee, Horace Hatch, Luther Richardson; Engineers of Fire Department, C. T. Symnes, A. E. Ayer, John Lynch; Auctioneers, Josiah Hovey, N. A. Richardson, W. T. Dotten; Police, J. W. Richardson; chief, J. W. Hemmingway, (for suppression of liquor traffic); A. C. Quimby, T. P. Cotten; night police and Lockup keeper, A. C. Quimby; Sealer of weights and measures, G. W. Spurr; measurers of wood and bark, G. P. Brown, H. A. Emerson, F. A. Loring; Measurers of leather, Sam'l G. Maxwell; Surveyors of lumber and bark, H. A. Emerson, Josiah Hovey, G. D. Blanchard; Weighers of coal, C. E. Kendall, John W. Rice; Undertaker, J. D. Sharon; Superintendent of Street Lights, J. W. Richardson; Public weighers, H. A. Emerson, Josiah Hovey.—*Corr. of Advertiser.*

BURLINGTON.

The Victor road machine was tried Monday, in the east part of the town. The Selectmen have purchased it for the town.

The spring term of the schools began Monday. The following teachers have been appointed: Mrs. J. Ida Snow, Centre school, Miss M. C. Lawrence, North school, Miss Marcia Winn, East school, Miss Leslie, South school, Miss Lizzie McIntire, West school.

On Tuesday evening of next week, April 13, the A. H. S. T. Club of Arlington Heights will give a grand concert, in the Town Hall for the benefit of the Literary Union. Among the artists, who will appear, on that occasion are Miss Alice May Estey, soprano, of the Camilla Urso Concert Company, who will give several solos, and Mr. Henry Chadwick of the Boston Gymnasium, who, assisted by one of his pupils, will show some fine feats of gymnastics and tumbling. These attractions, with a lively drama, chorus singing from the music of "The Mikado," piano solos and vocal solos and duets, will make a fine programme. It is hoped that a large audience will attend. After the concert, a supper will be served in the upper hall. Admission 25 cents. Children under 12, 15 cents. Supper tickets, 25 cents. Tickets are now for sale by members of the Union. The concert will begin promptly at 7.30 o'clock.

Wilmington.

The Cottage Hill Club met last Friday week with their lady friends at the Bent Cottage and tripped the "light fantastic" to the music of Taylor and Eames's quadrille band. At twelve o'clock they repaired to the house Mr. Othinel Eames where at the club's expense Mrs. Eames had prepared a hot turkey supper of which all showed due appreciation. After supper speeches were in order and a vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Bent for the use of his cottage during the past winter, and on being called on for a speech that gentleman replied that he was too full (of turkey) for utterance. After supper the company adjourned to the spacious parlor where singing was enjoyed for a short time when the party returned to the cottage for a grand finale. At a late hour the party broke up well satisfied with their winter's entertainment.

North Woburn.

Mrs. Ware will lecture on Spiritualism in the Unitarian Chapel next Sunday at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

On Monday evening, April 19, Rev. Leander Thompson will give a public talk on "North Woburn as I remember it in 1822," at the Congregational Church, which will be free to the public, and to hear which will be interesting to Woburn folks. Mr. Thompson knows a great deal about No. Woburn in earlier days and to hear him tell some of it will be a treat.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE RUMFORD ASSOCIATION.

The Rumford Historical Association held their annual meeting last evening, and celebrated the Birthday of Count Rumford in the very room in which he was born, 133 years ago. The large, old fashioned room was well filled with members of the Association among whom we were glad to see a number of ladies. We trust this innovation will become the regular order. The record of the last annual meeting was read and approved. It was shown that the Association was free from debt and in good condition. Improvements in the matter of setting edge-stones along the street front were noted. Some committees, appointed last year made reports, and it was voted that more time should be allowed them in which to consider the matters entrusted to them.

The Librarian and corresponding Secretary exhibited a number of presents to the library, museum, and society generally, prominent among which were full sets of the Winchester *Record*, for which the thanks of the Association were voted, as they were likewise to Mr. Hobbs for the Woburn JOURNAL. Mr. Hayden, Woburn's popular Congressman, gave additional proof of his interest in the Association in the gift of valuable books published by the Government. A formal vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Prentice S. Barnard and wife for their gift (previously noted in the Woburn JOURNAL) of a huge mahogany bedstead of antique pattern, a genuine prize.

The Association were much pleased to receive from Mrs. Choate an excellent photograph of its late President, Hon. Charles Choate, for which warm thanks were expressed. The three beautiful photographs of the Royal Institution, London, which Rumford was so largely instrumental in founding, were placed in position, elegantly framed in Rumford Ash. The photographs were with much difficulty procured by one of our members, Stephen Thompson, Esq., of Winchester, on his late trip to England, aided by another of our members, Hon. Josiah Pierce of London, himself a member of the Royal Institution. The pictures are hung over the fireplace, and add much to the interest of the room. The frames are fresh specimens of Mr. Marshall Tidd's handiwork. Thanks were voted for pictures and frames.

Mr. Leonard Thompson presented an interesting prize to the Association in behalf of a friend and valued member, Samuel Tufts, Esq., of Cambridge. It was the complete Hearth-stone taken from the Hastings, or Holmes house, Cambridge. This historic house was the head-quarters for some days, of Gens. Washington and Ward in Revolutionary days. It was also the birthplace of Oliver Wendell Holmes, and we hope to have, in detail, the history of the house. Thanks were voted for this treasure also.

The death of two members of the association were noted: Mr. Nathan Wyman and Mrs. Patty Fisher.

The names of three persons were proposed for membership, Mrs. Sarah A. Gilman of Boston, and Messrs. Edward F. Johnson and Frank B. Richardson of Woburn, and they were declared elected upon signing the constitution, and the old board of officers were re-elected. To fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Mr. Nathan Wyman the Association unanimously chose Mr. Abijah Thompson of Winchester for Vice President. Mr. William R. Cutter was also chosen to fill the place of Mr. Nathan Wyman on the library committee.

After the transaction of the business of the meeting which has thus been noted, the Association listened to a paper by the Rev. Leander Thompson on the New England ancestry of Count Rumford through both his parents, with historical notices and sketch of his career as a scientist and philanthropist.

Thus closed the eighth annual meeting of the Rumford Historical Association.—E. A. T., Cor. Secy.

North Woburn, March 27, 1886.

Woburn Locals.

— Applicants for a nice, new modern house can learn of one to rent by calling at the JOURNAL office.

— F. A. Flint, Esq., has been elected Chairman of the Board of Auditors—an honor worthily bestowed.

— The voters will be called on to transact important business at the Town Meeting next Monday evening.

— Rev. N. B. Fisk will preach his farewell sermon at 10.30 o'clock next Sunday. Which we all regret.

— Polo and other matters interfered with the concert by the Temple Musical Company last evening, and there was a very small audience.

— They don't make much nicer spring mornings than this is. It makes the flocks of robins and bluebirds in the fields very jolly indeed.

— The venerable editor of the *Advertiser* failed to keep up with the procession in point of snow storms last week. He mixed the figures bad.

— It is expected that Mr. Thomas Hill will continue to hold the office of Water Registrar in connection with that of Clerk of the Board of Selectmen.

— The trial of White, Sentner and Riley in the Superior Court for embezzling property at White's tannery in Woburn resulted on Wednesday last in finding all there guilty. White carries his case to the Supreme Court, and the others will be let off having turned States evidence.

— The weather was not very favorable for a due observance of Fast Day. From morning to night it wore a sort of semi-sackcloth-and-ashes appearance and being raw withal, out-door sports were at a discount. So far as we know anything about it, the day was worried through in the customary manner here, or very close to it.

— On the evening of April 7 Brewster Colony U. O. P. F. of this town held their first regular meeting in G. A. R. Hall and celebrated the occasion by a supper and dance. There were present Colonies from Stoneham and Reading to the number of 75. After the regular order of business had been transacted the members of the several Colonies formed in line with their wives and to music by a fine orchestra entered the Banquet Hall where a supper was enjoyed, after which the floor was cleared and dancing was enjoyed by all until a late hour. During the evening several pieces were sang by Mrs. Mamie M. Mears and Miss Pearl members of Reading Colony which were highly appreciated.—PILGRIM.

— The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church gave Rev. N. B. Fisk and wife a farewell reception on Tuesday evening last. Notwithstanding the evening was one of the most disagreeable of the season, the church was well filled. After a bountiful collation, Supt. H. Copeland called the people to order, and the quartette to furnish appropriate music. He then in a suitable speech presented Rev. Mr. Fisk with a purse of $61.00. On Saturday evening the colored people of Woburn sent Mr. Fisk a purse of $34.75 as a slight token of their appreciation of his labors among them. This was the third surprise for the pastor in two weeks, amounting to $95.75 in cash, besides the silver ware from the C. L. S. C.

Agreement.

We, the undersigned arbitrators chosen by James Skinner & Co., leather manufacturers of Woburn, and the Knights of Labor Assembly No. 2956, respectfully submit the following report:—

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT.

(1.) The firm shall make no discrimination in hiring or discharging employes for or against the Knights of Labor, nor shall the Knights of Labor or their representatives demand that such discrimination be made.

(2.) It is agreed the firm must be in all cases their own judges of the competency or incapacity of employes for their positions.

(3.) No person shall be hired to displace another at less price than regular rates, as hereby agreed upon.

(4.) There shall be no subletting of jobs, unless the contractor pays regular prices, as hereinafter agreed upon.

(5.) A day's work shall consist of 10 full hours' work, except on Saturday, when nine hours shall constitute a full day, meaning by this that 59 hours shall constitute a full week's work.

(6.) All disputes arising between employers and employes shall be settled by arbitration on presentation of a grievance in writing to the firm, and also to the assembly of the Knights of Labor having jurisdiction in the district where the factory is located.

(7.) Pending the decision of any dispute, there shall be no lockout, strike, stoppage or cessation of work or business on the part of employer or employes on account of said dispute.

(8.) Stop meetings and discussions on price of labor, politics or kindred subjects shall not be held during working hours; every manufacturer having the right to make such rules regarding visitors and others entering his shop as may be proper to maintain discipline therein.

Art. II. (1.) It is agreed that the Knights of Labor shall, as far as possible, enforce a scale of prices, not less than those hereinafter agreed upon, in all tanneries and currying shops throughout the country making the same or similar class of stock as manufactured at Woburn, Mass., and vicinity.

(2.) It is further agreed that the signers of these articles shall be placed on as low a scale of prices as any with whom the Knights of Labor shall treat.

(3.) It is agreed that if, in the course of business, a manufacturer finds it necessary to work out his stock on hand, that there shall be no strike or stoppage of work; provided no just grievance exists and is before him and the Knights of Labor at the beginning of such closing out.

The above articles of agreement, with price list hereunto annexed, shall govern the relations of the firms signing and accepting the same with the Knights of Labor, No. 2956, of Woburn, Mass., until October 1, 1886.

The foregoing agreements are based on product of hides weighing 50 pounds out of salt, as usually purchased at the West or elsewhere.

(Signed) JAMES H. MURPHY,
GRIFFIN PLACE,
JOHN BURKE,
Arbitrators.

PRICE LIST.

	Price Per Week.
Fleshing,	$12 00
Drenching work,	10 00
Unhairing machine,	11 00
Shoring in beam house,	9 00
Leach hands,	9 00
Teamster,	9 00 and 10 00
Outside help,	9 00
Hand-skiving,	15 00
Shaving,	15 00
Staning jack,	10 00
Cellar hands,	9 00
Scouring,	10 00
Scouring machine,	12 00
Mill stuffing,	12 00
Mill tenders,	9 00
Setting glove grain,	11 00
Stuffing grain or buff,	10 00
Dampening grains,	9 00
Cutting over buff with slicker,	13 00
Buffing,	15 00
Snuffing glove,	13 00
Soft boarding glove and buff,	10 00
Running jack on buff,	10 00
Men finishing buff,	10 00
Setting glove out of black,	11 00
Glove glassers,	10 00
Glove finishers,	9 00
Graining polish,	12 00
Running Polish-wheel,	12 00
Blacking glove and polish,	10 00
Finishing grain,	10 00
Setting mill-stuffed splits,	10 00
Hand-stuffing splits,	10 00
Scouring splits,	10 00
Whitening splits,	14 00
Split finishers,	9 00
Jackers on splits,	9 00
Feeding blacking machine,	10 00

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of the day." C. E. Upton, Nashua, N. H., writes: "For a number of years I was troubled with a humor in my eyes, and unable to obtain relief until I commenced using Ayer's Sarsaparilla, I have taken several bottles, am greatly benefited, and believe it to be the best of blood purifiers." R. Harris, Creel City, Ramsey Co., Dakota, writes: "I have been an intense sufferer, with Dyspepsia, for the past three years. Six months ago I began to use

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PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of WILLIAM TEMPLE, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Susan T. Greenough, of said Woburn, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of April instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty six.

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Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

By license of the Probate Court for the County of Middlesex, the subscriber, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of MARY F. HART, late of Concord, in the State of New Hampshire, deceased, will sell at public auction, at the Court Room of the Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex, situate in Woburn, at the corner of Montvale Avenue and Main street, on Tuesday, the twenty seventh day of April, A. D. 1886, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all the right, title and interest the said Mary F. Hart, at her decease, had in and to a certain lot of land situate on the easterly side of Middle street in said Woburn, and bounded as follows, namely:—Westerly and northwesterly on and by said Middle St., and by land of Jonathan Thompson; northeasterly by land now or late of Wyman, and by lands of persons unknown; southeasterly by lands of McManus, Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation and others unknown; and southerly by land formerly of Walter Wyman, and others unknown. Meaning and intending the premises, however bounded and described, or reputed to be bounded and described, known as the "Frog Hole" lot, and of which John Fowle 2d, died seized and possessed.

And thereafter, to wit, on the said twenty-seventh day of April, at quarter past four o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court Room aforesaid, the subscriber as administrator as aforesaid, will sell at public auction all the right, title and interest the said Mary F. Hart, at her decease, had in and to a certain lot of land situate near the junction of Lexington street and Pleasant street, in said Woburn, and bounded as follows, namely:—Northerly by land now or late of Mary Frost; easterly by land now or late of Stephen Dow; southerly by land now or late of James Nelson; and westerly by land late of Marshall F. Barrett, deceased. Meaning and intending to sell the lot of land which was set off to the said Mary F. Hart out of the estate of James Fowle, deceased. Terms made known at time and place of sales.

EDWARD F. JOHNSON, Administrator.

Woburn, April 6, 1886.

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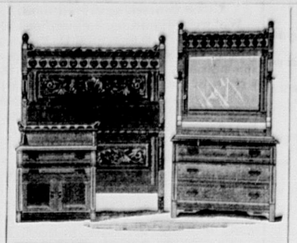
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To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Hannah S. Goodwin, late of Wilmington, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and codicil thereto have been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Chester W. Clark, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty second day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

14-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of MARY O'BRIEN, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Honora Huse, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock, in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

14-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, Creditors, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of JOHN MARLOW, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Lawrence Reade of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

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Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank.

NOTICE.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Trustees of Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank, will be held at their Banking Rooms on Friday, April 2, 1886, at 7.30 P. M., for the transaction of such business as may legally come before said meeting.

E. E. THOMPSON, Clerk.

P. S.—Money deposited on or before Saturday, April 10, 1886, will draw interest from April 1.

E. E. THOMPSON, Treasurer.

Woburn, March 24, 1886.

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A tenement of five pleasant and convenient rooms in North Woburn. Also, a stable.

E. A. THOMPSON,
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Two-story house, 8 rooms and attic, 11,655 feet of land, 90 feet front. Running water, excellent cellar, apple and pear trees, grape vines and shrubbery. Faces west, nearly new. Orange street, Montvale, Mass. Apply to

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We have just received an assortment of DRESS GOODS, etc., bought in the New York market last week.

We invite you to inspect them.

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When I say cure I do not mean merely to stop them for a time and then have them return again. I mean a radical cure. I have made the disease of FITS, EPILEPSY or FALLING SICKNESS a life-long study. I warrant my remedy to cure the worst cases. Because others have failed is no reason for not now receiving a cure. Send at once for a treatise and a Free Bottle of my Infallible remedy. Give Express and Post Office. It costs you nothing for a trial, and I will cure you. Address Dr. H. G. ROOT, 183 Pearl St., New York.

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Our $1.50 and $2.00 Women's Kid Button Boots are pronounced by experienced judges to be excellent value for the money.

Our stock in all grades of Boots and Shoes is complete.

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By two young ladies, pupils on Violin and Piano. Beginners preferred. We take engagements for concerts.

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Providence Permitting,

There will be a meeting held in the Unitarian Chapel on Sunday, April 11, at 2.30 o'clock, P. M., through the mediumship of Mrs. D. E. Ware: Subject for consideration, "Why I am a Medium." After speaking tests will be given. Admission 10 cts. All investigators should attend.

FOR SALE.

Two fine family COWS for sale by J. H. FOSTER, Foster street, Woburn, Mass.

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—*So. J. Christian Advocate.*

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"By Husband had a cold on his lungs and after using Adamson's Balsam for was relieved and finally cured. No one should be without it, for its curative properties are certainly wonderful." Miss. H. C. SOMERS, Third Ethingham, 1425 Broadway, New York.

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Beware of imitations! See that the name of P. W. KINSMAN is blown in glass of the bottle. F. W. KINSMAN & CO.,

Druggists, Proprietors,
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I am engaged in sale and delivery of PURE MILK to the people of Woburn from my farm on Cambridge street, and respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.

Orders left at Buckman & White's Grocery Store, 209 Main Street, will be promptly attended to.

P. G. HANSON,

Woburn, Jan. 18, 1886.

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Window Shades, Moldings, &c.

Large assortment Latest Designs now ready for Spring trade. Call and examine.

Send for Sample of Papers.

Also, Plain and Decorative Painting, Paper Hanging, &c. Ceilings Papered in the latest Styles.

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Near Churches, Schools and Railroad Station. Two NEW HOUSES of eight rooms each and one double house in thorough repair.

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Woman's Column.

Miss Cleveland denies that she wrote the much quoted statement of her views on the matter of low-necked dresses. But she says that it expresses her sentiments.

Madame Patti has been offered six thousand dollars a night to sing in concerts in South America.

Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett has nearly finished a new novel, which will appear in the Century. Its completion has been delayed by her illness.

Mrs. Louise W. Thomas, lately elected president of Sorosis, is the fourth woman to hold that position. Her predecessors were Alice Cary, Mrs. Charlotte Wilbur, and Mrs. Jennie June Croly.

Miss Annie Whitney is receiving well-deserved praise for her statue of "Lief, the Norseman," which is now being cast in bronze. A replica in clay is on exhibition at the Art Club. An elaborate pedestal with Norse inscriptions has been designed and a place has been prepared for the statue in Mr. Olmsted's plan of the Back Bay Park, at the Commonwealth Avenue entrance. The bulk of the money has been raised on the generous foundation bequeathed by Ole Bull.

Mrs. Mary A. Livermore has long been known as an advocate of co-operative housekeeping. Hitherto she has enforced her theory from the lecture platform. In the April Chautauquan she carries it to the literary field. Mrs. Livermore's belief is that isolated house-keeping must be merged into co-operative housekeeping in order that housewives, obliged by the increasing demands of the nineteenth-century life to be "Jack of all trades and good at none," may have time and strength to prepare themselves for the higher social, intellectual, and benevolent demands made upon them.

One of Topeka's most popular and successful physicians and surgeons is Dr. Addie M. Kester, who intends spending some time in Europe, with a view to attaining the utmost proficiency in this branch of the profession, if she can make satisfactory arrangements to leave or dispose of her large practice in and near that city. Dr. Kester is not only an excellent physician, but one of the most charming and lovable of women, and a most affectionate wife and mother. Her medical skill once saved her husband's life, and the tender and devoted regard which he invariably manifests toward his wife would be highly creditable to many husbands whose wives engage in no occupation outside of their "sphere," and proves Mr. Kester to be a husband whose life is worth saving.

"The two daughters of President McCosh of Princeton College, are great pedestrians. They often walk from Princeton to Trenton and back, a distance of twenty miles, when they have shopping to do."

Edward Everett Hale has written an account of the Boston "Vacation Industrial Schools," in which hundreds of girls are, each summer, trained in cooking, housekeeping, embroidery, drawing, carpentry, etc. It will appear in the next St. Nicholas, in connection with a story by Chas. Barnard, illustrating one girl's experience in the schools.

Hereafter women deaconesses of the Church of England, are to be specially consecrated to the work, by the laying on of hands, by the Bishop. This is according to the recommendation of the Dean of Chester, who in a report from a committee appointed to investigate the question, considers their work of peculiar value.

The ability of the Empress of China, as a ruler, has long been known. The Empress Dowager is also stated in a recent article in the *Scotsman*, to have been a woman of unusual gifts. It concludes: "As their record on Asiatic history, these two remarkable women have left the Chinese Empire enternally pacificated and restored to practically the limits given to it by the great Kienlun. Eastern Turkestan has been reconquered; Russia baffled in its diplomacy, and France in its aggressive action; a new China created in the outer wilds of Mantchuria; and last and most important of all this most ancient and most exclusive of Eastern monarchies has apparently entered fairly on the path of competition with the Western nations.

Governor Hill has recently appointed Mary Seymour and Mary Wilson of New York. Mary P. Morgan of Brooklyn, Mrs. Carrie L Dinsmore of Orleans county and Ida M. Blake of Putnam county, notaries public for their respective counties. This action is regarded as a great victory for the women, who have been urging their claims, and excites considerable interest.

The "Liberal" ladies of England are organizing "Leagues" in opposition to the Tory "Primrose" League, headed by Lady Randolf Churchill, formerly Miss Jerome of New York. The "Progress" League held a meeting recently, presided over by Mrs. Herman Merivale, wife of the dramatist, and which was addressed by Miss Cobden, Mrs. Ashton Dilke, and other well known speakers.

Her Majesty, Queen Victoria is about to issue a Royal Commission to inquire into the working and results of the Education Acts. The commission in the wide scope of its reference, will, amongst other matters, take into account the subject of over-pressure, and probably also the relations of technical teaching to the ordinary day schools of the country.

A Fortnightly Journal has been started under imperial auspices in Germany, which is announced as under the direct patronage of the Empress Augusta, and as having her "fullest sympathy." It is called *Emanzipirte*, and it advocates emancipation from "all the obsolete customs which place women upon a lower plane than men;" emancipated from the "ignoble presumption that they are only the playthings of men," and not fitted to be "true helpmates in the earnest affairs of life;" emancipated from the superstition that women "are not born for the noblest aims of mankind;" and finally emancipated from the "unutterably low opinion" that spinisters are "less worthy of respect than other women." This is remarkable considering the public to which it appeals.

IN THE SWING.

Back and forth in the swing, with rhythmical flow and motion,
They sweep in the evening breeze, swift as a swallow's wing,
Soft, as in moonlight dreams, smooth as the roll of ocean,
Back and forth in the swing.

This is the festal strain they breathe on zephyrs ambrosian:
"We have drunken of Lethe's stream, lost in a wandering dream,
We have eaten of lotus, love hath smote us with shafts of a golden gleam,
And our souls vibrate between."

INDIANS SLIDING DOWN HILL.

A Streak of Copper Lightning—Squaw-Mothers and Pappooses—Fun.

Twenty-five years ago, in Minnesota, I used to watch the Sioux boys and girls in their winter village up the Minnesota river. Their arrangements were simple. First, a strip of bark from four to six feet long, and not over twelve inches wide, was peeled from a living tree. One end was cut to a point, a small hole bored through, and a string tied in. Then the little Indian, taking his piece of bark to the top of a hill, placed it on the crusted snow smooth side down, bent up the pointed front by pulling at the string, and, placing one foot about in the middle of this crude sled, gave a hard push with the other, and went scooting like a streak of copper lightning. He stood erect, and sometimes with both feet on the bark—one behind the other, but usually the hind leg was sruck out as a sort of balance and rudder combined.

The dash down the hill was all right, and so was the arrival at the foot if the crust of the snow wasn't broken; but the fun for the spectators began when use wore out the hard surface, and the striking of a toboggan into a soft spot sent the bark's nose into the snow and the Indian flying in somersets. His proboscis might plow the snow too, but usually not until he had taken a header of about fifteen feet; and he didn't stop at that, but usually did two or three flip-flaps before coming to a rest. Hurt 'em? Bless your heart, no. Why, I have seen squaws of sixteen to eighteen—lithe, graceful young things—take the ride and the tumble shrieking with glee; and, if one happened to have her papoose along, didn't bother about the baby a bit. You know, they carry them on their backs, held in place by a blanket, which is belted around the waist.

To see a girlish squaw-mother shoot through the air head foremost, while her babe went rolling end over end, would have stirred a Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to children; but the pappoose seemed always to come out all right, being so swaddled in rabbit-fur, thistle-down, and blanket that it hadn't the remotest idea of the mercury dropping to 20 degrees below. Now, for real, solid fun that kind of sliding down hill beats the luxurious tobogganing that has come into New York fashion, out and out.—Cor. Chicago Tribune.

Prof. Henry's Big Magnet and Battery.

Among the many valuable and historic pieces of apparatus about the college are several instruments which were invented and used by the late Professor Henry in his experiments on electricity. In one of the laboratories of the school of science may be found his "big magnet," as it is called, mounted on a large frame, which, when charged with electricity by means of his "big battery" of one cell, was capable of lifting 3,300 pounds. He afterward made one of nearly the same size and capacity for Yale, which has been in constant use there until within a few years, when it was laid aside, and is now preserved among other relics of the college. Professor Henry's large magnetic globe, made partly of wood, constructed so as to show the electric current of the earth and the dipping of the needle, together with his galvanometers, coils, electro-magnets, and recorders, are of special interest and of peculiar historical value.—Princetonian.

A Soul Absorbing Occupation.

Yes, my son, it is possible for you to live to the end of your days, performing successfully every day the rare feat of keeping your mouth shut at the right time, of never uttering a sentence until you have first weighed it carefully in your mind, revised it, and adjusted it accurately to existing conditions of things. Yes, you can do that. But then, you won't do anything else. No, my boy, if you do that, always, you won't do one other lingering, solitary, lonesome thing in all your life. You will have time to do nothing except to think what you are going to say and how you are going to say it, and then by the time you are all ready, and open your mouth, the man you were going to say it to will have grown weary of waiting and gone away.—Burdette in Brooklyn Eagle.

One of M. de Lesseps' Strong Points.

"One of M. de Dessep's strong points," says the London Times' Paris correspondent, "is never deferring for a minute what he thinks it necessary to do. I have several times been present at conversations with friends or advisers who would recommend him to see a particular minister to ask for something. The expediency of the step would be discussed, and no sooner had this been settled than M. de Lesseps would ring for a cab to be fetched, and would start at once to make the application. At the end of the day nothing of what had to be done is left undone. He is unique in this respect and never violates his rule."—Exchange.

Didn't Care to Go Abroad.

Lady visitor—I suppose, Mr. Swipe, you will soon go abroad to study the old masters?

Mr. Swipe—Well, really, I am afraid that in the study of the old masters I should forget my own individuality, and come to paint like one of them.—Harper's Bazar.

"Lean beefsteak and hot water for seventeen weeks" is the latest diet that such of the world's fat people who wish to get thin are trying.

The Riel rebellion cost Canada over $4,000,000.

A Beautiful Easter Card.

The Virgin Salt Co., of New Haven, Conn., are making a grand offer to introduce their salt. Go and ask your grocer for Virgin Salt and get an elegant Easter Card. In addition we offer an extra inducement: a pair of Doves beautifully lithographed in ten colors, as natural as life, on a large card 9x10 inches. Virgin Salt is the cleanest, purest and whitest salt ever seen or used. A large package costs only 10 cents.

A popular term formerly in use for the nails on the ten fingers was the ten "commandments," which, says Nares, doubtless led to the swearing by them, as by the real commandments. In the same way the fingers were also called the ten bones, and it was a common thing to use the exclamation, "By these ten bones!"

By lack of open air exercise, and the want of sufficient care in the matter of diet, the whole physical mechanism becomes impaired during the winter. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the proper remedy to take in the spring of the year to purify the blood, excite the liver to action, and restore health and vigor.

A Chat Concerning Superstitions.

We were discussing superstitions the other night. The mercurial De Vivo was telling us about the Italians and their superstitions. Brignoli, the tenor, was a child of superstition. In Italy sheep are always supposed to bring bad luck, and De Vivo says he has seen Brignoli run away like the wind from a flock of sheep. On the other hand, he would walk clean into a herd of pigs and almost embrace them. Humpbacked people are always supposed to be good luck, and Brignoli would rush across a street and put his arms around a humpbacked man, it being necessary to touch the hump to get the full benefit of the good fortune. All the great singers nearly are superstitious. Parepa-Rosa was excessively weak on this point, and always carried as an amulet a coral horn, which she immediately touched whenever she came across anything unlucky.

Cross-eyed people are always looked upon as unlucky; why, nobody knows. Most cross-eyed people that I know are rather lucky than otherwise. There are several very wide-spread superstitions, which take different shapes with different people. Perhaps the most universal one is the thirteen one. In theatres for instance, on salary day when a man comes up to sign the pay-roll—that is, in the theatres where they pay salaries—he always counts the number ahead of him, and if he is the thirteenth he will not sign. If you go to a theatre with a pass and you are the first man there they will not allow you to go in until somebody has gone in on a paid ticket.—San Francisco Chronicle "Undertones."

When There Were No Dentists.

"I often think," wrote Olive Wendell Holmes, in his letter declining an invitation to dine with the New York Odontological society, "of the forlorn condition of some of the great personages of history in the days when there were no dentists, or none who would be recognized as such by the dental artists of to-day. Think of poor King David, a worn-out man of 70, probably without teeth, and certainly without spectacles. Think of poor George Washington, his teeth always ready to drop like a portcullis, and cut a sentence in two. See him in Stewart's admirable portrait, his thoughts evidently divided between the cares of empire and the maintenance of the status quo of his terrific dental arrangements.

"Think of Walter Savage Landor's melancholy complaint that he did not mind losing his intellectual faculties, but the loss of his teeth he felt a very great calamity. I venture to propose, then, the dental profession and their association as its worthy representative. It has established and prolonged the reign of beauty; it has added to the charms of social intercourse and lent perfection to the accents of eloquence; it has taken from old age its most unwelcome feature and has lengthened enjoyable human life far beyond the limit of years when the toothless and purblind patriarch might well exclaim, 'I have no pleasure in them.'"—Exchange.

The Farmer and His Blizzard Rope.

No one who has not been in a blizzard can form the faintest conception of its fearful character. Why, do you know that every farmer in that country takes the precaution when the first snow appears to provide himself with a rope by which he guides himself from his house to his stock sheds or stable? He ties one end of the rope to the door-knob of his house and then walks to his barn-door. At this point he ties a stick into the rope, and when the blizzard comes he simply takes what he thinks is the right direction and follows the rope until he reaches the stick. If he does not strike the barn-door when he reaches the stick he knows he has missed his bearings, and simply starts off in a circle holding the rope taut until he reaches the barn. When he gets ready to start back he hauls himself in hand over hand until he reaches his door. If he looses his hold on the rope the chances are that he will never reach his door even though he might wonder within five feet of it.—Chicago Tribune Interview.

The Guarded Language of Diplomacy.

The Hon. E. B. Washburne is an expert diplomate. His experience as a foreign minister some years ago served him to good purpose in this respect. He was called as a witness in the Storey will case the other day, and, being asked whether he considered Mrs. Storey "a young woman," he replied in the guarded language of diplomacy, "All women are supposed to be young."—Chicago Journal.

No Color-Blindness Among Savages.

Not a single instance of color-blindness has been found by Schwarzbach in an examination of 2,000 Hottentots, Malays, Melanesians, Australians, Moors, and Polynesians; and he concludes that the defect is confined to the white race, and is due to influences connected with civilized life.—Arkansaw Traveler.

Terms to Suit.

Lady (to applicant)—What wages will you expect as nurse?

Applicant—How ould is the baby, mum?

Lady—Seven months.

Applicant—Widout laudanum, mum, $2.50 a wake; wid laudanum, $2.—Harper's Bazar.

A Cat's Funeral in Yeddo.

In Japan wealthy owners of cats have a high respect for them even when they are dead. In Yeddo, at a recent cat's funeral, the coffin was covered with a white silk pall.

A fine marble statue of Jupiter, two meters high, has been dug up at Shershal, the ancient site of the Numidian Jol, in Algeria.

The copy of the first book on arithmetic, of which only another copy is known, fetched $200 at a sale in London the other day.

Mills, of Texas, is the fastest talker in congress, and frequently goes on at the rate of 215 words to a minute.

The best days in memory are those in which we met a companion who was truly such.—Emerson.

To Prevent Small Pox.

To the Editor of the Journal:

A sure preventive of Small Pox without vaccination, may be found in Dr. R. C. Flower's Nerve Pills, prepared by the Flower Medicine Co., and sold by all druggists.

This has been proven by practical experience during one of the most dreadful epidemics of this disease ever known in America. M. D.

An ordinary freight car holds ninety barrels of flour; 340 bushels of wheat; 200 sacks of flour; 430 bushels of potatoes; 6,000 feet of lumber; and unless you keep a sharp lookout, from one to half a dozen tramps.

A Sad Misfortune

Is to raise a nice family of boys and girls and then have them carried to an early grave by that terrible disease, Consumption. Heed the warning and check it in its first stages by the prompt use of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, warranted to cure and relieve all cases. Price 50 cents and $1. For sale by Chas. H. Buss. Trial size free.

How France Protects the Public.

In awarding the Prix Montyon to M. Girard, director of the laboratory established in Paris in 1878 for testing the quality of food and drink sold in that city, the Academie des Sciences takes occasion to publish a report which shows the value of the work done under his supervision. Specimens of wine, beer, cider, milk, chocolate, coffee, tea, etc., are examined daily, as also the colors used for toys, candies, preserves, etc., and pork suspected of containing trichinæ, canned meats, and a variety of other food supplies. The examinations are made free of cost when it is only required to know whether an article is free from adulteration, and any one may avail himself of the services of the chemists to this extent. For analyses showing proportionate compositions a small charge is made.

There are twenty inspectors attached to the laboratory, whose duty it is to visit cafes, epiceries, boucheries, etc., and examine the articles offered for sale. They are provided with microscopes, acids, and other apparatus which enable them to make most of the tests upon the spot, taking to the laboratory only specimens of the articles which on this preliminary examination afford evidence of adulteration. There are twenty-five special departments in the laboratory, each under charge of a competent chemist, who confines himself to one class of articles—this taking milk, that one wine, another meats, and so on. About 25,000 samples were analyzed last year, and the effect of this surveillance during the seven years of its existence is claimed to be apparent, not only as regards the public health, but as an economical measure in protecting the public against worthless or inferior articles of food.—Chicago News.

Freaks of Vegetation in Cuba.

On first visiting Cuba I found myself astonished at every turn and corner by freaks of vegetation that were so common there that no one seemed to consider them worthy of notice. Here was a tall palm tree with a trunk bigger at the top than at the bottom, like an inverted oil flask or carrot with its point stuck in the ground. In another place, clambering over the garden fence, were slender deciduous vines laden with clumps of fierce, tortuous thorns thicker than the main stem of the plant, resembling clusters of small buffalo horns and as hard as steel. In the same garden grew a tree about as large as one of our northern apple trees, and bearing a flower of the size of a Muscovy duck, which it exactly resembled in form, bill, wings, tail and all, though in color nearly white, with portions shading off into a delicate pink. These monster flowers either hung by their beaks to the limbs of the tree or lay scattered in profusion on the grass below, where they resembled a flock of water-fowl swimming in a pond.

I noticed, too, in Cuba, a tendency on the part of vegetation generally to produce thorns. Several of the larger trees bristled with these vegetable poinards, six inches long, all the way up their trunks, and I could not help reflecting sadly that the schoolboy of that land must have a rather rough time of it in the pursuit of that juvenile pleasure of climbing trees. They recalled to my mind a certain Australian ligneous porcupine known as the puzzle monkey, which is incased in an armor of thorns, growing with their points downward in a way calculated to utterly baffle the most astute.—Frank Bellew in New York Star.

Exercising in a Gymnasium.

The habit of exercising at a gymnasium is like any other habit and should not be broken off suddenly. I believe that a man who is accustomed to exercise daily should let up by degrees, as a sudden cessation is likely to do him harm. I used to exercise a great deal, probably an hour and a half or two hours a day, for years, and it was nine months after I stopped before I felt like myself again. Still this is not an argument against gymnastic exercise.

Exercise at a gymnasium keeps a man in good trim all the time. It prevents the accumulation of fat in the intestines and keeps the respiratory organs perfect. A man may be in good health and appear strong and hearty, but may not have enough of what the boys call "wind" to last him in an emergency where strength or endurance is called for. His recuperative power is not strong either. a man who exercises gymnastically recovers quickly from exhaustion and does not suffer a loss of strength for any great length of time.—Globe-Democrat Interview.

Pills Made of Spider's Web.

Some time ago an old British soldier from the East Indies brought us some pills made of spiders webs, which he told us are largely employed in India as a prophylactic against and cure for ague. He assured us that he himself had been a sufferer from intermittent fever for years, and that, though the disease was not eradicated, he could either avert the spells or render them insignificant by the use of this singular remedy.—Medical World.

His Excuse for Not Working.

"I can't give you any money. A stout, able-bodied fellow like you ought to be earning a living." "But I haven't any work, sir." "That's your own fault, I'll venture to say. You lack energy. You don't throw yourself into your work." "I wouldn't like to. Nor would you, sir." "Oh, I wouldn't, eh? Why not?" "I'm a grave digger, sir."—Philadelphia Call.

The Magistrate's Stern Demand.

"I must have order in this court-room." sternly demanded a justice of the peace. "I must and will have less noise and confusion here. I have already disposed of three important cases without being able to hear one word of the evidence."—Exchange.

Labouchere Boldly Coins a Word.

Mr. Labouchere makes bold to coin a word. Says he: "An interview with the name of the interviewee (the word requires coining in these days) left out is rather poor reading."

A Public Benefaction.

How to laundry linen as it is done in Troy, N. Y., has been kept a secret long enough; it can and should be done in every family. The ELASTIC STARCH is the only starch in the United States that is put up by men have a practical knowledge of the laundry profession. It requires no cooking, keeps the iron from sticking and linen from blistering while ironing, and gives shirts, cuffs and collars that stiffness and beautiful polish they have when new, which, everybody knows keeps them clean twice as long. Beware of imitations. See that the name J. C. HUBINGER & BROS., New Haven, Conn., is on every package.

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THE SOUTH OF THE SOUTHERNERS.

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But there is another south, the south of the southern people, not so easily reached, but well worth reaching. One needs to have plenty of time and plenty of patience to travel in this south. And he will be happier if he carry with him certain simple stores besides the articles I have mentioned—such as tea, coffee, lump sugar, potted meats and preserves. A portable bath-tub and his own soap and towels will make a vast difference in his comfort. Certain things he must not expect to find here either. Southern trains have little regard for their time-tables, and he had better carry a supply of paper novels for odd hours at stations in what are most appropriately named waiting-rooms. But, as a compensation, southern railway officials on local roads are the most affable and obliging of men. They return for you if you are too late; they wait for you to eat your dinners; they stop anywhere in the woods to let a man get off. "Never you mind, ma'am," says the obliging conductor, "you take your time with the dinner; the train ain't going off without you."

One time I remember a train which waited a half-hour for the passengers to get dinner before they started. We were altogether three hours behind time. I asked the man at the station if this train did not meet another. "Yes, ma'am," said he; "but, you see, we meet at——, and whichever train gets there first waits for the other, so there ain't a bit of trouble." Somewhere at the end of the line a boat waited for the train with the same engaging politeness. The southern conductors are always kind to women and children, and hospitably polite to strangers, and the station-masters seem rather to like answering questions. One has to expect a certain absence of the virtue next to godliness south, and he can not look for honesty among the blacks; but what are drunks made with locks for?

At first the untidy ways will jar on his sense of order; he will very likely be annoyed by the languid fashion in which life moves on; it will irritate and dismay him to see the absolute lack of comprehension of the meaning of comfort. But very soon he will feel a subtle, reluctant fascination; he will be soothed by the absence of hurry and bustle; he will appreciate the gentle courtesy which seems to be the southerners' birthright; he will be touched by their pathetic hospitality; he will learn to admire their bravery, gayety, and that energy which often lurks beneath their indolence.

And nature will have her word. Those weird cypress forests, those solemn pine woods among the red clay hills, those tropical splendors of plant and flower and sky, that softer loveliness of the southern homes—stately old mansions which ruin makes but the more picturesque, set amid their gardens on shady streets or overlooking fields of cotton, or rice, or cane—all these and a hundred sights as fair come to capture his heart and haunt his memory. If the traveler have a friend with a plantation, in that case he will have all the poetry without the discomfort. In any case, the real south (which, by-the-way, is by far the cheaper south) is the one which is sure to repay the traveler for his outlay of time and money. My friends who are going to the real south, you who are about to enjoy—I congratulate you.—Cor. Harper's Bazar.

A Collection of Arabian Manuscripts.

The collection of manuscripts which the sultan of Morocco has turned over to the medressch, or high school, of Fez, proves to comprise copies of numerous west Arabian works which in Spain were destroyed by the holy inquisition. In scientific attainments the scholars of the Moorish universities were several hundred years ahead of their Trinitarian rivals, and by ignoring their existence Christian historians of civilization have been obliged to assume 1,000 years interregnum of science. In the ghastly night of the middle ages Bagdad and Cordova were the intellectual Goshens, still enjoying the light of a sun which in the land of their neighbors seemed to have set forever at the downfall of the Roman empire.—Dr. Felix L. Oswald in Chicago Times.

For Anything Needing Head-Work.

"How do you like the English?" asked a British squire of his Scotch gardener.

"Weel, sir," was the answer, "bein' frae hame, and among the English, I find nae great faut in them; but I maun mak' this remark, that for mee-nisters or gardeners, or anything needing hedewark, ye maun come to us i' the north!" —Youth's Companion.

Fuel for the Transcaspian Railway.

A telegram from Askabal announces that the yield of the Transcaspian naphtha springs having been found amply sufficient to supply fuel for the locomotives used on the Transcaspian railway, work at the springs has now been commenced by order of Gen. Annenkoff.—Foreign Letter.

The Egyptian chariots had linch-pins of bronze, and were put together with pins and nails. Screws, so far as known, were not invented.

Individuals have been cured of stammering by always filling the lungs with air by a strong inhalation before beginning to speak.

Only 326,411 immigrants entered the United States last year, a decrease of 19 per cent. since the previous year.

The Roman schoolmasters used a whip made of eel skin to punish their scholars on the naked back.

If a man don't say much, he can soon get the name of knowing a heap.—Chicago Ledger.

One firm in Germany has made and sold 3,000,000 thermometers during the last five years.

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WHEREAS, application has made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to George Doherty of said Woburn, and to exempt him from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice, by publishing this citation one a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

14-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

North Woburn Street Railroad.

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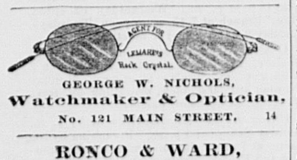
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SURFEIT.

All praise is empty to my jaded ear;
Around me throng to-night a gaping crowd,
On which I look as on an angry cloud
That dim my skies, and will not disappear;
I can not believe their fulsome praise sincere;
They boldly say that Fate has me endowed
With every gift; that graceful, rich and proud,
There is before me spread a grand career.
My soul made sick with flattery would turn
Its thoughts from all this brilliant scene away;
The praise, the envy, everything to spurn
For one true heart to cheer it on for aye;
For what it has not doth it vainly yearn,
While scorning exaltation and display.

—L. F. S. B.

"HER YANKEE."

There is a long lapse of years between that time and this, but the incident has lost none of its pathos or beauty, because of that.

I can see her now as she trips along to school, a sweet little girl of 7 years, her sunny curls blown back from a fair forehead, her bright blue eyes glad in the innocent happiness of childhood.

It was in 1864 that there were a few prisoners of war brought to G—— for incarceration and kept here several months, well guarded. Little Sallie passed the prison every morning on her way to school, and, with childish curiosity, though not evincing any fear, she would look at the gloomy place of confinement giving a glance of commingled pity and awe at the prisoners, peering hopelessly from the small windows of the forbidding house. The men, weary of the monotony of captivity, were glad to see the little sunbeam as it flitted by, morning and evening, though it left them in the shadow.

There was one, however, pale and sick, whom the child gazed at in mute sympathy, and he in return would smile at her until once he called her, saying: "Come and bid me good morning, and tell me your name."

Attracted by his gentle manner and refined appearance, she approached and said: "My name is Sallie, and what is your name?"

"Charlie," he answered; then he said, "My dear little girl, if you have anything in your bucket please give me something to eat, for I am sick and cannot eat prison fare."

"I will give it all to you, but I don't know how to get it way up there."

"Ask the guards to let you pass."

With childish confidence she went to the nearest guard, but was courteously refused, and going back, told the Yankee. He then bade her ask the guards to pass the bucket to him.

Returning to the sentinel, she said so earnestly, "Please carry this to that poor man, who is so sick," that the Confederate soldier could not resist the pleading eyes and manner, or the compassionate feelings of his own heart, and taking the lunch passed it as requested. So it continued for a week, until the child was seen coming with two buckets, one for herself, the other for "her Yankee."

She was afraid to reveal her secret at home, fearing she might be denied the privilege of feeding her Yankee, and when her mother asked her why she carried two buckets and why she chose the daintiest and best of all on the table, she replied: "Oh, mamma, it is for a poor person not able to buy nice things to eat." The evasion was pardonable under the circumstances. Often did she deprive herself of delicacies to put into the "other" bucket; and so it went on for four months, the guards allowing her to pass freely, and her mother encouraging her in her charitable deed, but never dreaming who was the recipient.

At last Sally passed one evening and the prison was empty. Her Yankee and his companions had been exchanged and had gone to join their respective commands. Sallie quietly stopped taking his lunches and her mother supposed she had simply become tired of it.

Four months passed in comparative peace, when the dread cry was heard. "The Yankees are coming!" Everybody tried to be calm and collected, but very few succeeded. Soon the town was "blue," and Sallie's mother had her front yard and porch full of the blue coated strangers and among them two Lieutenants and one Captain. The lady had shut all her little children into the bedroom with the injunction, "Be perfectly quiet."

The Captain announced that he would like to have dinner for himself and men. Pale and solemn, not afraid, but feeling that the intruders were her enemies, she left them, and going to her room to see after the children found them "mute as mice," with the exception of Sallie, who would run to the window and turn the blinds. Her mother begged and scolded in an awful whisper—"Don't do that, Sallie!" "Just a little bit, mamma. I won't let them see me," and suiting the action to the word, she turned the blind very carefully and caught a glimpse of a face that she and she alone of all the family, had ever seen before.

"Oh! mamma, there's my Yankee!" she exclaimed, forgetting all precautions and instructions. "Let me go and see him; I'm not a bit afraid!" The poor mother, already in a state of bewilderment, thought that her bright and beautiful child had suddenly become bereft of her senses, and cried out, "Hush, Sallie! You have no Yankee, and they'll kill you if you go out there!" Being compelled to superintend the dinner, she locked the door to keep the child safe and returned to the kitchen.

When dinner was ready Mrs. —— went through the room into the hall where the soldiers were assembled. Sallie slipped her golden head out and stood partly in the door, while the men, slowly and silently, marched to the dining-room. When the seventh man passed he glanced at the child, and in a moment of glad recognition, caught her up in his arms and kissed her again and again.

"Mamma, I told you this was my Yankee!"

Mrs. —— stood in a state of amazement bordering on stupefaction, and the men were as much astonished. "This is my sweet little Sallie!" the Yankee exclaimed, and the child wound her arms around his neck whispering, "Charlie, I have that Yankee dollar you gave me yet." "Madam," said the soldier, "I must explain this scene, as you seem to be in total ignorance of my acquaintance with your little daughter. While I have never had the honor of seeing you before to-day, I am no stranger, as you see, to this dear child. She saved my life by feeding me daily for months when I was sick and feeble for want of proper nourishment while a prisoner in this town." With tears filling his eyes he continued, "Ah! you would not be surprised at my loving her if you only knew, could comprehend, the dreariness of prison life and how this little angel brightened it by her visits and her charity. Do not have any fears, madam. I would protect your interests and this child with my life."

I do not know how long the soldiers remained in G., but they left to join in other battles and Charlie was killed in one some time after.

Sallie is married, has a lovely home, two beautiful and interesting children and is a kind neighbor and friend.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

Whist at Court.

One day, at a pleasant country house, where Edward Everett, Washington Irving and Bancroft were guests, the conversation, as was natural among three gentlemen who had all been foreign ministers, fell upon diplomatic life. Irving, with a sly twinkle in his eye, was soon telling comical incidents of his experience, when Everett, after listening with an air of great amusement, said: "One of the drollest incidents in my diplomatic life occurred at my presentation as United States Minister in England. I went to the palace by appointment with Lord Melbourne, feeling very uncomfortable in my official toggery, and found that the Neapolitan ambassador, the Prince Castelcicala, was to be presented at the same time. We were introduced to each other, and, after a proper interval, the official presentations to Her Majesty took place. When they were over (probably at Windsor) Lord Melbourne said, 'Your excellencies will be expected to remain, and in the evening join in a game of whist with the Duchess of Kent.' We bowed," continued Mr. Everett, "and Lord Melbourne added, 'I play a very poor game myself; in fact, I scarcely understand it, but the duchess is very fond of it.' 'And I,' said the Prince Castelcicala, turning to me, 'am a very poor player; and if I should chance to be your excellency's partner, I invoke your forbearance in advance.'

"We were all moving down the corridor toward the duchess's apartments," said Mr. Everett, with a grave smile, "and it was very amusing to hear our mutual apologies and deprecations, especially as I remarked in my turn that I was not very familiar with the game. Here we were, three dignified personages in middle life, clad in extraordinary attire, and solemnly proceeding to play a game which we imperfectly understood, and for which we did not care in the least. When we reached the duchess's apartments she was seated at the table, and we were formally presented, and, at her gracious invitation, seated ourselves for the game. Just as we were beginning to play, a lady in waiting approached, and placed herself at the back of the duchess's chair. The duchess then turned to us, and said, politely, 'Your excellencies will excuse me if I rely upon the advice of my friend here, for I really am a very poor player.' It was inexpressibly droll," said Mr. Everett, "and it was a curious illustration of the ceremonial character of Court life."

Thousands Say So.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by Wm. W. Hill.

According to the London *Practical Confectioner*, the potato introduced in England in 1600 was first eaten as a sweetmeat, stewed in sack wine and sugar.

Rumford Historical Association.

GIFT BY SAMUEL TUFTS, ESQ., OF A HEARTH-STONE FROM THE HISTORIC HOLMES MANSION, LATELY DEMOLISHED AT CAMBRIDGE.

At the annual meeting of the Rumford Historical Association, at North Woburn, on March 26, the gift of a hearth-stone from the historic Holmes Mansion, at Cambridge, was received and accepted from Mr. Samuel Tufts, of Cambridge, a member also of this association. This hearth-stone was taken from the property when the house was demolished recently by the corporation of Harvard College. It is not supposed that the stone is coeval with the erection of the house, which probably stood about a century and a half, but it is believed to be quite ancient.

The mansion, it is wellknown, stood near the colleges, on a way known to the present generation as Holmes Place. I have been directed by the Rumford Association to write out the various remarks made on the subject of this house at the annual meeting.

Without entering deeply into the history of this venerable estate I would say first that at the time of the American Revolution the house belonged to Jonathan Hastings, who was Steward of Harvard College. In 1742 he purchased the estate, which was thenceforth his residence. His house was the headquarters of Gen. Artemas Ward in the early part of 1775, when Gen. Ward was commander-in-chief of the American forces engaged in the siege of Boston. From this house, the last probably which he ever entered, Gen. Joseph Warren departed, on the morning of June 17, 1775, to the field of glory and of death. Steward Hastings died in 1783. A son of his named John, and commonly called Major John Hastings, resided for a time in Woburn, where his wife died in 1808.

The father of Steward Hastings, named also Jonathan Hastings, inherited the homestead of his father, at the corner of North Avenue and Holmes Place, and succeeded his father in the business of a tanner. He accumulated a large estate, and was the person to whom the historian Gordon, who wrote at the time of the Revolution, attributes the origin of the word "Yankee." Gordon, who was pastor of the Third Church in Roxbury (the Jamaica Plain church) gives an interesting history of the origin of this term—see his Hist. Am. Rev., I. 312-13. Gordon's stories are always readable. It seems "Yankee" was a cant, favorite word with Jonathan Hastings, the elder, to express excellency. Thus a Yankee good horse or Yankee good cider, and the like, meant an excellent good horse and excellent cider, and so forth. This was before the year 1742 and possibly about 1713. The students of the college used to hire horses of the inventor of the phrase, and the use of the term on all occasions led them to adopt it and spread it abroad, and he went by the name of Yankee Jon or Jonathan, till the name became the synonym of the country.

The house of Steward Hastings afterwards belonged to the Rev. Dr. Abiel Holmes, the annalist and pastor for many years of the First Church in Cambridge, and in this house his son Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, the poet and writer, was born.

The house has an additional interest to the people of Woburn from the fact that at the place where it stood in Cambridge dwelt the father of the Rev. Jabez Fox, the second minister settled by the town of Woburn, from 1679 to 1703. Thomas Fox the father resided a few years at Concord, where his son Jabez was born, and certainly baptized, and where Rebecca, the mother apparently of Jabez, died in 1647. Before June, 1649, he came to Cambridge, and resided in Holmes Place, about midway between its northeasterly angle and North Avenue, after which, with the exception of a very short residence in Watertown, he occupied the estate on the east side of Holmes Place, afterwards owned by Steward Hastings and still later by the Rev. Dr. Holmes.

The Fox family were subjected to some extraordinary vicissitudes. The Rev. Jabez Fox, of Woburn, died of the small-pox at Boston, February 28, 1703 [or old style, 1702-3], being seized with the disease while he was there on a visit, and dying on the Lord's day and in the forenoon. The son of Jabez Fox was blind for fifteen years before he died, and Thomas Fox, the father of Jabez, married four wives, and was probably the Thomas Fox, servant to Mr. Cradock, whom the Court ordered to be whipped, in 1631, for uttering malicious and scandalous speeches, "whereby," says the record, "he sought to traduce the Court, as if they had taken some bribe in the business concerning Walter Palmer." The second wife of Thomas Fox died, it is recorded, "by a fall she got on the floor, whereby she broke her thigh," 1682. The house where he lived in Holmes Place was destroyed by fire about 1681 or 1682. He died in 1693, aged eighty-five.

To the estate in Holmes Place young Jabez Fox, afterwards the Woburn minister, came from Concord to reside during his minority, when his father joined the Cambridge church, and here he lived previously to his removal to Woburn. Here also he graduated from the neighboring college, here probably studied divinity, and here first brought his wife after their marriage, and here their first born son, John, afterwards his father's successor in the ministry at Woburn, was born. At this historic place in Cambridge, it may be supposed, he was engaged in reading the proof of that wonderfully scarce edition of the colony laws printed at Cambridge in 1672, of which the town of Woburn is so fortunate as to own a copy—may it ever be preserved!—containing the original autograph of Jabez Fox himself, written in 1673, at the time when he came in possession of the book, as part payment, it is supposed, for his services upon the work. The printing press was set up a short distance only from his Cambridge residence, and the copy of the original edition of the laws of 1672 which the town of Woburn owns, is as valuable almost for the circumstance of its containing Jabez Fox's autograph, as for the scarcity of the old work itself.

The widow of Jabez Fox married Colonel Jonathan Tyng, a gentleman of considerable family influence in the provincial days, and she died in 1736, at the great age of ninety-eight years, being a woman, according to her epitaph, of very extraordinary qualities.

W. R. CUTTER.

Our Dumb Friends.

To the Editor of The Globe:

It is very evident that the birds are rapidly diminishing. Every year their ranks are thinner, and there is no doubt but that the bird-ornamenting folly has much to do with it, but there are other sources of destruction worthy of consideration in this connection. The traffic in birds' eggs has become enormous, and the public has less knowledge of it than of bird destruction. The boys in all directions are after birds' eggs, and are robbing all the nests they find from spring till fall. Not very far from the office of THE GLOBE there is an egg depot with a nest of 10,000 birds' eggs for sale or exchange. There are many other places in Boston and vicinity where similar business is carried on, and so it is throughout the entire country.

Nearly all of our birds are migratory. Every year they come and go, and throughout the long journey either way, they are under fire. They are shot for food, for fashion and for fun. But in the Southern States they have still another way of "slaughtering the innocents." Here is a short quotation from the Portland Transcript of February 27, 1884:

There is at Harrisburg, N. C., a place where thousands of robins congregate every night. We found that the roost was an immense cane break, and before it was fairly dark a large party set out to make war upon them. There were sixty-eight men and boys in the crowd, each carrying a stick and torch or lantern. From all sides hundreds of blinded and bewildered birds flew about, striking against each other and against the canes, making a noise that resembled a mighty wind. All through the brake (about a mile in length) torches gleamed, men shouted, and the deadly stick was going right and left. The birds never left the brake, but flew about in confusion, unable to escape the weapons in hands of those who plied them for about an hour. The whole number of robins killed by the party footed up 2110. The nightly battles on these birds have been going on for fully three weeks.

It is high time this horrid work was checked. Who would like to live in a birdless country? They are not only of great utility in the destruction of injurious insects and worms, but they are things of beauty and a joy forever. Nothing on earth is more wonderful or more beautiful than the music of the bird.

So clear in quality and exquisite in melody an angel would be charmed by it, and shall he and all his throng be shot to death by rude hands, and their graceful forms and matchless plumage tacked on the hats of our women and girls, in support of an unnatural and abominable fashion? And shall all the sweet-singing red-breasts, reared in our very dooryards and orchards, be murdered with clubs by thousands and tens of thousands in the sunny South, to gratify the fastidious appetites of the people in that land of plenty? No! Let every newspaper from Canada to the great Gulf, from Maine to the Pacific protest, and continue to protest, against this national sin, and every humane voice ring out its anathemas, and thus a mighty salvation army be recruited, which, united, shall overwhelm all opposition and forever crush out the bird-destroying element from human society. S. P. C.

TO PROTECT THE BIRDS.

To the Editor of The Globe:

The Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has now before our Legislature a petition signed by the following well-known committee of its directors: Hon. Samuel C. Cobb, Colonel Henry S. Russell, J. Boyle O'Reilly, Samuel E. Sawyer, Charles F. Donnelly, William H. Baldwin, Russell Sturgis, Jr., J. Murray Forbes, George Noyes, Henry B. Hill, asking the Legislature to make it the duty of our teachers of public schools to give some instruction to their purils in regard to the importance of protecting our insect-eating birds and their nests, and of treating the lower animals kindly, and authorizing the society to send at its own expense to all teachers of public schools in Massachusetts such instruction as the State Board of Education shall approve. The president of the society has addressed upon the subject forty-seven of the highest and largest schools of Boston, having between 20,000 and 30,0000 pupils.

And the society now desires to send the same instruction to every school in Massachusetts, without costing the State a single dollar. Is it too much to ask through your columns every man and woman, who loves his or her horse, dog, or other animal, or who loves to hear the songs in spring time of our beautiful birds now being rapidly exterminated, to use his or her influence to ensure the passage of this act, and enable the society to carry out its benevolent purpose? For the society,

GEORGE T. ANGELL, President.
Boston, March 4.

AGREEING NOT TO WEAR BIRDS.

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Among the advertisements in a German paper appeared the following: "The gentleman who found a purse with money in the Blumenstrasse is requested to forward it to the address of the loser as he is recognized." A few days afterward the reply was inserted: "The recognized gentleman who picked up a purse in the Blumenstrasse requests the loser to call at his house."

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Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, in incipient consumption seems to possess remedial powers of great efficacy. It heals the irratation of the throat and lungs. Makes pure blood and builds up and fortifies the system against further inroads by disease.

Evidence of the decay of forests in Australia is found in the present existence of a few trees far exceeding in size any of those about them, and supposed to be survivors of a departed race of giants. A tree twenty-five feet in circumference at a height of thirty feet above the ground was described at a late meeting of the Royal Society of New South Wales.

Ayer's Cathartic Pills are suited to every age. Being sugar-coated they are easy to take, and though mild and pleasant in action are thorough and searching in effect. Their efficacy in all disorders of the stomach and bowels is certified to by eminent physicians, and many of our best citizens.

Billingsgate, the noted fish market near London, derives its name from Belin, king of the Britons about 400 B. C., who built there a water gate with an immense tower above and a haven for ships beneath. The market was destroyed by fire in 1715 and rebuilt. A new market was erected in 1852, and it has been since rebuilt in 1856.

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BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure.
This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders. *Sold only in cans.* ROYAL BAKING POWDER Co., 106 Wall St., N. Y.

How many bald heads you see. Work, worry, disease, dissipation. These do it. Parker's Hair Balsam stops falling hair and restores gloss and youthful color. Exceptionally clean, elegant, a perfect dressing, not greasy. Prevents dandruff.

The train had just emerged from a tunnel and a vinegar-faced maiden of thirty-five said to her male companion: "Tunnels are such bores!" But a young lady of eighteen, who sat just in front, adjusted her hat, brushed the frizzes back and said to the young man beside her: "I think tunnels are awfully nice!"

Perfect soundness of body and mind is possible only with pure blood. Leading medical authorities indorse Ayer's Sarsaparilla as the best blood-purifying medicine in existence. It vastly increases the working and productive powers of both hand and brain.

A young man in a restaurant lately overheard the following conversation between two rather rough-looking, but evidently quick-witted young men who came in to get a lunch: "Hello, Dick," said the first one, "what's your throat tied up for?" "Quinsy." "Quincy, Mass.?" "No, Quincy, Ill."

Erysipelas and Salt Rheum was driven entirely away from Mrs. J. C. Anderson, Peshtigo, Wis., by Burdock Blood Bitters. No equal as a blood purifier.

It is suggested that the Patagonians may have lost as much as two inches in stature since the adoption of constant horseback riding, a little over two centuries ago. They were formerly reputed giants, and their bodies are still huge, while their legs are disproportionately short and slender.

Mr. Ruskin thinks there is a great future for American art—but he hardly realizes the enormous demand over here for Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. Indeed, he doesn't.

It was the regular etiquette of the reign of Queen Elizabeth of England for a man professing himself deeply in love to assume certain outward marks of negligence in his dress, as if too much occupied with his passion to attend to such trifles. His "garters in particular were not to be tied up."

"For I am declined into the vale of years," she said a little sadly, "but inde

The Woburn Journal

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S Horton, 195 Main Street, A. Robie, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at he Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

☞ The Legislature has caused it to be understood that it will adjourn sine die before Memorial Day, which comes on the 30th of May. That would make only a 5-months term in which time it does not seem possible that the many great and highly important duties of the session could be got through with. We are disposed to think the final adjournment will take place on a day much nearer the first of July than the first of June, and this judgment is based on the great amount of work which must be done or the State left to suffer. And besides, there is hardly anything that one can call to mind without stronger mental effort than would be conducive to true happiness that is handier to have around than a good, healthy Legislature.

☞ Is it not about time for the Republicans in the Senate to find somebody else to take the leadership besides Mr. Edmunds? He has led his followers a wild chase after the President's scalp, but at last accounts had failed to grasp it. Edmunds makes a very poor captain. Gen. Logan ought to be put in his place. If Blaine was in the Senate the Vermont member would not be thought of for a leader, and the Republican side of the house would be saved the humility of being made an ass of by one who lacks all the essential qualities for marshalship.

☞ The Boston *Advertiser*, we believe it is, has formally announced the candidature of Representative Long for the seat of Mr. Dawes in the Senate. Dawes is said to be one of the sticking kind, but Long, notwithstanding the friendly offices and advocacy of the paper named, stands the best chance of winning the prize when the election takes place, for he is the strongest and best man in the party at the present time. Likewise, Long is the most popular Republican in the State of any prominence.

☞ The Postoffice Committee reported against an increase of fourth class mail matter last Monday. It was a scheme in the interests of express companies that didn't work. A curious thing about the investigation by the committee was the discovery by them that the higher the rate of postage the less revenue derived. The Postoffice Department never came within millions of dollars of being self-sustaining until the rates of postage were reduced to the next thing to nothing.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

W. E. Carter—Rink.
T. C. Evans—Stetson.
G. A. Bean—For Sale.
Martin Ellis—For Sale.
The Centaur Co.—Castoria.
A. Cummings—Symposium.
G. L. Cobb—App. for License.
Board of Trade—An. Meeting.
Mrs. C. A. Pierce—Parlor Millinery.
Mrs. J. H. Parker—Spring Opening.
Harry Bloodgood's Co.—Entertainment.
J. G. Maguire, Attorney—App. for License.

— Mr. Martin Ellis advertises the very best of manure for sale.

— "A letter from the Bermudas" will appear in these columns next week.

— Congressman Hayden and his wife returned to Washington last Monday evening.

— Mr. Goodrich, the ice-dealer, is building a residence in the southwest part of the town for his own use.

— Do not fail to read Mr. C. M. Munroe's advertisement in our business columns. It will pay to perusé it carefully.

— Last week Patrick McCarthy met with quite a serious accident to one of his hands at Bryant & King's calfskin factory.

— Hon. John Cummings was again elected a Director in the Shoe and Leather Insurance Company last Wednesday.

— Mrs. C. A. Pierce, 8 Johnson street, advertises "Parlor Millinery" this week, to which the attention of the ladies is called.

— The belt-knife factory of Mr. Charles Porter on Main street will be finished and in operation in the course of a short time.

— The April showers that bring forth May flowers have been here this week and set in a boom for garden truck and grass.

— The No. Woburn Street Railway Company have been given leave to withdraw their petition for an amendment of their charter.

— C. A. Smith & Son, have just received a large invoice of carpets in all the newest styles and fabrics. The prices on very low.

— Dr. Geo. S. Dodge delivered an interesting medical talk to an appreciative audience of young men in Y. M. C. A. hall on Fast night.

— Tuesday was a very warm, sultry, and quite sticky day. In truth it came as near being a perfect April day as they make them this year.

— By calling on Mr. G. A. Bean, Fairmount street, particulars may be learned respecting a carryall and buggies which are offered for sale.

— At the entertainment of the Ladies Soldiers Aid Society on next Monday evening at G. A. R. Hall, supper will be served from 6 to 7.30 o'clock, and the entertainment will begin at 8 o'clock. Both G. A. R. Posts will participate in the affair.

— As will be seen elsewhere, Rev. H. A. Westall will give a lecture on "The Gate City of the South," suggested by his recent visit to Atlanta.

— Mr. Curtis furnishes some good reading for this issus of the JOURNAL in relation to purses, wallets, and yellow crockery. It will be found on the first page.

— Webster & Co., tanners at Malden, have adopted the Woburn scale and prices which give their workmen an advance of 10 per cent in wages.

— The large, well-built double house of Mr. Bernard McHugh, on Main street, is nearly completed. He will occupy one of the tenements and rent the other.

— The present warm moonlight evenings are improved by the young folks, flocks of whom may be seen around Horn Pond almost any time after moonrise.

— Tickets to the testamonial entertainment to be given to Emma N. Gray, next Tuesday evening may be procured at Horton's, Copeland, Bowser & Co's., and at the door.

— Population and business appear to be moving slowly but surely up Main street instead of down. That is contrary to nature, but true in the particular case of this town.

— The charter for extending the Stoneham Street Railway to Woburn, Saugus, etc. is making good progress in the Legislature, and its passage hardly admits of a doubt.

— "Bargains in dress goods" is the title of an interesting article in this paper contributed by Mr. F. S. Burgess. Ladies, please give it a few moments of your careful attention.

— On next Monday evening the Woburn Soldier's Aid Society will give an entertainment in G. A. R. Hall. The plans of the ladies are to make a very nice affair of it.

— Mr. Amos Cummings wants to engage two or three first class sewers to work in his suit rooms to when good wages will be paid. He wants them at once, and only the most skilful.

— The grainers at Duncan's quit work last Wednesday morning because, as they say, he required them to work 27 sides when 20, or at the most 24, are as many as any workman can do.

— Mr. Charles K. Conn has sent in a letter declining a re-election to the office of Secretary of the Board of Trade. Private business is expected to require all his time during the next year.

— The Edith Stanmore Company gave a very fine entertainment to a good house at Lyceum Hall last Wednesday evening. We are happy to announce that the Company will appear here again on the 28th.

— Copeland, Bowser & Co., have changed their announcement this week and advertise a variety of good bargains. The ladies cannot find a more satisfactory store to trade at than Copeland, Bowser & Co's.

— A lad was badly bitten by a vicious dog on Centre street last Friday afternoon. It was at first reported that the boy was killed, but it turned out that such was not the case, although his face was badly lacerated.

— People who love real, right-down rollicking fun and a good deal of it for a little money should go to Lyceum Hall next Monday evening and see Harry Bloodgood's Happy Thought Company give Rose and Coe.

— Grass has taken quite a start this week and in some places the fields begin to don an emerald hue that is good for sore eyes after a long cold winter. Herbage and foliage can't put out too fast to suit this establishment.

— One evening last week a large delegation of Hope Lodge, D. of R., visited the Somerville Lodge and had a very pleasant time. They were cordially received and handsomely entertained by the Somerville Rebekahs.

— Prior & Mann are having a larger trade in boots and shoes at their new store, 197 Main street, than was anticipated by them. The secret of which is they keep the very best goods in the market, and sell them at bottom prices.

— We respectfully call the particular attention of our readers to the advertisement of Mr. Charles H. Barnes in another column. Everyone says his is one of the best, cheapest and most reliable establishments in Boston. It is an old house and a good one.

— Mr. Herbert L. Richardson of the firm of Richardson Brothers, proprietors of the Woburn Steam Laundry, has invented and patented an ironer which is believed to be a first rate thing. We hope he will make heaps of money out of it.

— At last accounts the Executive Committee of the Knights of Labor had succeeded in obtaining the signatures of all the leather proprietors except one or two small ones. When the business is finished we hope to see everybody at work and flush times again.

— A few days ago Mr. Joseph Kelley of Church street sent his fifty-first subscription to the Exeter (N. H.) *News Letter*. He first began to read that paper regularly in 1832, subscribed for it in 1835, and has taken it without a break ever since. Which we think is good deal of a note.

— It was at the Vendome that the venerable editor of the *Advertiser* took feed with the Press Association last Monday afternoon. It is fair to presume that a great many eloquent speeches were made over the feast, and we'll warrant none were more eloquent than that of the venerable, etc.

— The Baby Pathfinder is the handiest railway guide in America, and is full and accurate in every particular. It is a miniature edition of *The Pathfinder* published by the N. E. R'y Pub. Co., Boston, and contains all information respecting railroads and their running that anybody needs know.

— The first frog concert of the season was given on last Friday evening in Town Meadow. A good deal of the music was written in a minor key, and some of the voices were husky from long exposure to the cold, notwithstanding which many people greatly enjoyed the concert, particularly as it was an undoubted harbinger of summer.

— The patent pocket factory, the merits of which our Board of Trade canvassed last summer and didn't conclude to take hold of, is established at Plymouth and doing a good business, so we are told. Mr. Ware B. Gay and others had faith in it, and if reports are true they were right about it.

— A correspondent says that whereas special police officers have heretofore been appointed for their good conduct by good rights this fact should be taken into consideration by the Board in making appointments this year, and, if consistant, that some of them ought to be promoted. With all which we agree.

— The Selectmen's Committee on Fire Department went round last Tuesday afternoon on a tour of inspection of the houses of the companies, horses, machines, electric apparatus, etc., and found everything in apple-pie condition. Chief Engineer Littlefield's course was heartily endorsed, and the Committee were pleased with it.

— We hope and believe Mr. Johnson will give us better streets and sidewalks than the town has had of late. Marsh mud and rich alluvial soil don't make good roadbeds or very passible walks, and it is our humble opinion that Mr. Johnson will know enough to use gravel this year. A great and radical reform is needed in this matter.

— A level-headed gentleman not far from our elbow suggests that Powderhouse Hill be leveled and made a site for the City Hall which will have to be built within a few years. He says the roads need the gravel and it is just the spot, with the old buildings removed from Main street near the hill, for a public edifice. We second the motion.

— The Trustees of the Public Library organized as a Board at a meeting held last Friday when Hon. John Cumming's was chosen President; Hon. Edward D. Hayden, Vice-President; John G. Maguire, Esq., Clerk; Mr. Albert Thompson, Auditor; and Messrs. John Cummings, John M. Harlow and Edward D. Hayden, Finance Committee.

— The laboring men of this town will be likely to remember Capt. Crane when election comes around again next fall. As a member of the Legislature this winter he has stood right up in his boots for all their interests and has proved himself an honest, fearless and efficient champion of the working men who will elect him to a seat again next November.

— If all the candidates for Chief of Police whose friends say they are solid and have the promise of it get through safe our Police force will be like some military companies we have read about —all officers and no men. Or like the present standing army of the United States. The fact however is, the Police Committee have not yet taken the matter into serious consideration.

— Mrs. J. L. Parker advertises an opening of Spring Millinery to take place on April 22 at her handsome and richly freighted Millinery Parlors, No. 1, Salem street, this village. The ladies who attend the event will find a large, very beautiful, and greatly varied stock of bonnets, hats, ribbons, feathers, laces, etc., all in the latest modes, rich, genteel, to which the lowest prices are attached.

— The "Political Prefermen Committee" of this town ought to know that the JOURNAL never, no never, prints pieces in its columns unless the name of the writer is given as a pledge of good faith. The communication from the "P. P. C." contains some sharp hits and good things, but the laws of the Medes and Persians were never more unyielding than ours respecting printing anonymous articles.

— The other day the *Globe* reporter called attention to some singular statements in the published annual report of our School Superintendent. By one of them it appears that the whole number of scholars enrolled in Miss Skinner's school, room 4, Plympton school, is only one; and in Miss Wakeford's, room 8, Cummings, the whole number is 2—one boy and one girl. There are other singular figurings in the report.

— If every man, woman and child of this town hasn't eaten his, her, or its "peck of dirt" during the last week or two he, she or it is a hopeless case. At no particular period in mid-summer or mid-anything else was ever the dust so thick, lively and discomforting as last week, and we say, and shall always stick to it, that at no time are the services of the street-sprinkler more needed than during such a spring spell of wind and dust.

— If the people of West Medford think they can come here and swear and rip on our street's to their hearts content without being meddled with they commit an error of judgment. We won't stand such nonsense from anybody, much less from the web-footed denizens of the salt ma'shes of West Medford. Last Monday morning one of them was fined $3 in the District Court here for swearing at our Chief of Police. And served him right.

— The annual meeting of the Board of Trade will be held next Tuesday evening. After the election there will be a social reunion of the members with ladies, and a musical and literary entertainment, collation and speeches. It is to be an informal affair but a pleasant one no doubt, and will take place in Armory Hall. The committee in whose hands the arrangements are have a very strong desire that there may be a full attendance of members with their ladies. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lewis will furnish music with others, a popular elocutionist has been secured, so that the prospect for a good time is promising.

— For some reason or other a large share of Duncan's men did not go in last Monday morning. They say it was because Mr. Duncan is disposed to exact more work for the money paid than the schedule of the arbitrators calls for, but what Mr. Duncan's side of the question is we can't say. We have found much difficulty in getting at the bottom facts in these matters between workmen and their employers, and have learned, into the bargain, that rumors are about as reliable as anything given for cold facts. It is our opinion that the labor troubles are not fully settled in this town, and that within a month more idle men will be seen on the streets than at the present time.

— Last Wednesday morning Mr. John Bradly at Capt. J. P. Crane's factory, made a demand for increase of pay. This being refused the engineer blew off steam, against the protest of Capt. Crane, left the factory and business came to a stand-still. Capt. Crane is not greatly inconvenienced by the movements of his engineer because he has a large amount of leather on hand and does not care to do much until business becomes more settled.

— On Sunday evening, the First Woburn C. L. S. C. had the pleasure of listening to an interesting and instructive address by Mr. H. Copeland on Mexico, a country that he has recently visited. Many fine photographs were exhibited, some of natural scenery, others illustrating the manners and customs of the people of that tropical land. The members of the Circle also had the privilege of examining some choice specimens of onyx and several of the old Aztec idols, all questions concerning which were kindly answered by the owner.

— It is quite evident that the Executive Committee of the Knights of Labor do not regard the question of wages, etc., for tanners in this place fully settled. They seem to fear that there may be more trouble, or at least that matters will not run as smoothly as they did before the difficulties arose. There is an uneasiness all around, which however, we hope will be dispelled, good feeling between employers and employed, and prosperity reign once more. The Executive Committee will do all they can to have everything go smooth and pleasant.

— The annual meeting of the Unitarian society was held in vestry of the church on last Tuesday evening, at which the officers for the coming year were elected. The result of the voting was as follows: Moderator, Alva S. Wood; Clerk, John Warren Johnson; Treasurer and Collector, Daniel H. Richards Jr.; Trustee of Permanent Fund, John Johnson; Auditor, R. J. W. Phinney; Parish Committee, Griffin Place, John W. Johnson, Mrs. Henrietta Lund, Mrs. Sarah L. Simonds; Delegates to American Unitarian Association convention, J. W. Hammond, Mrs. Martha W. Winn.

— The Public Library is likely to receive a handsome and very valuable gift from Hon. John Cummings at an early day. It is to be nothing less than his extensive and choice collection of rare specimens of the natural departments of the earth—birds, rocks, ores and many other things. It is said his cabinet has cost him $10,000, and is one of the best in the country. It will be a noble gift to the Library, and in accordance with his long-meditated and well known plans of doing the handsome thing by that noble institution. More men like Mr. Cummings would be a good thing for Woburn.

— The Woburn reporter of the *Globe* says that there is a strong feeling in favor of extending the Stoneham and Woburn Street Railway to Cummingsville. To do so would be a good thing for the company and that village. Hardly any portion of the route would give the line more local business than that between the Centre and Cummingsville, and if the proprietors are wise they will build the road over it. From lines of street railways to North Woburn, Cummingsville, Montvale, Winchester, and ultimately to Medford or Arlington and Boston, the Centre will derive a great deal of material benefit, and all the lines will pay good interest on the investments.

— Bloodgood's Happy Thought Company are coming! This will be good news to a great many of our people who think no other entertainments are half so fine as Harry Bloodgood's, in which idea they are about right. They are going to give Rose & Coe in Lyceum Hall on next Monday evening with Harry Bloodgood as Erastus T. Rose, a citizen of the world and a company unsurpassed for dramatic talent, and those who really want to split their sides laughing should be on hand early so as to secure a good seat. There is more fun in Rose & Coe, as this Company play it, than a horse can haul, to enjoy which we opine that Lyceum Hall will be packed full next Monday evening.

— We desire respectfully to repeat what the JOURNAL has many times said, which is this: there is no kind of advertising that pays the advertiser so well as judicious newspaper advertising. Many business men entertain the erroneous notion that dodgers, flyers, broadsides, etc., draw custom, and they adhere to that plan of advertising. Men who have studied the subject and reduced it to a science say there is little or no virtue in that way, and that the returns from it never compensate for the outlay. If men who believe in that ancient and well nigh worthless system of trying to advertise would come and sit in a newspaper office for only a few days they would change their minds and their system.

— Capt. Crane, our Representative in the Legislature, says there are some prominent gentlemen in this town who oppose the street railway scheme to Winchester. They must take a curious view of things and of the wants and needs of Woburn if they do so. Of course it is possible that some men who make this place their bedroom and nothing else might oppose the project on the ground of taste or something of that sort, but we do not see how anyone who wants to see the town thrive and grow and plunge ahead in business, population, wealth, etc., could very consistantly go against the extension of the road to Winchester. But it is just the same now as it was several years ago—there is no accounting for tastes.

— The heaviest electric light company in Boston have made overtures for the purchase of a controling interest in the Sun Electric Company of this town, but it is not expected they will get it. The Sun is a Woburn institution owned chiefly and officered by citizens of the town who have no disposition to place its fortunes in the hands of outside parties. It will remain here and Mr. Slattery, whose electrical knowledge and services are craved by several leading companies in the country, will stay here with it. There is a large number of men in this town who it would seem ought to put some of their surplus money into the Sun Company, and within eighteen months we rather think they will wish they had done so.

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Persons contemplating buying this Spring, should take this opportunity of looking our stock over before the season opens.

CASH OR EASY PAYMENTS.

— Chief of Police Nelson was appointed Truant Officer at the last meeting of the School Board.

— On account of the lateness of the season Mr. F. H. Lewis's proposed classical concerts have been postponed indefinitely.

— We have received the April number of "The Winchester Record" which in our judgment is the best one that has been printed. All have been good and interesting, but the current issue seems to bear off the palm in these respects. The fac similes of a map of Woburn, ancient deeds, and portraits add largely to the value of the work; a greater variety of subjects are treated by the editor and correspondents; and altogether the number is a sterling one. Our Winchester correspondent notices it in his items.

— The new Board of Selectmen will get into working trim in a few days after which we expect to see everything move along as smoothly as clockwork. We have heard hints that every member is determined to put his best foot forward and transact the business of the town in good shape and for the best good of all concerned. That is all that any of us demand of them. The best way now is to stop growling and all hands go in heartily to aid and promote the business boom which is now well on its feet here.

— A testimonial entertainment of a literary and musical character will be given in the M. E. Church on next Tuesday evening, April 20, to Emma N. Gray, who will also direct it, aided by "The Homespuns" with stone-hammers, Emma Belle Huse as a reader, and others. There will be many very pleasing features about the entertainment which space forbids a particular mention of, but to witness the drill of the Home Guard by Capt. Homespun will be worth more than the price of admission. It will be very fine affair.

— Last Saturday John F. Kelley came to Woburn to find his wife who, while he was in the City Hospital last December, sold their household goods, so he says, and decamped. He had hunted high and low for her, and finally it occurred to him that as likely as not she was in Woburn and that idea brought him here last Saturday. He found her and also the man who she had married only a few days before. She was arrested for bigamy and when arraigned in the District Court last Monday pleaded guilty, waived an examination, and was sent to jail in default of $500 bonds. Mrs. Kelley said she left her husband on account of his abuse and cruelty to her, and had made application for a divorce.

— Trade being dull, and contemplating some changes in his business, Mr. N. J. Simonds shut down his heel-stiffening factory on the 13th of last February, since which time, except the machinery department, it has been idle until the 6th of this month, when all hands were recalled and the work was started up. When it is considered that Mr. Simonds employs about 150 hands and pays out in wages full $800 per week, the importance of his resuming business will be realized by our people. Nearly all of the $42,000 a year is distributed by those who receive it among the trades-people here in Woburn, the permanent loss of which would be seriously felt by them. Heretofore Mr. Simonds has sold his goods through an agent, but during the shut down he decided on a different and better plan, and that is to sell his own wares from his own store. To this end he has procured and opened salesrooms at No. 70 High street, Boston, at which the finances of his business will hereafter be conducted.

— Every Town Meeting which Woburn holds is the strongest argument that can possibly be put forth in favor of a city government. Not that there is any fault to be found in the manner the meetings are conducted, but they are so large and unwieldly that it is next to impossible to transact the business in an intelligent and proper way. A case in illustration of this fact occurred at the meeting last Monday evening. John Warren Johnson, Esq., made a suggestion which was vital to the interests of the town. It related to a certain appropriation and if he had not thoughtfully brought certain facts and law to the attention of the meeting the action which would have been taken on the appropriations would have been null and void, placing the town in uncomfortable predicament. Mr. Johnson's proposition was plainly stated, but we will venture to say not more than one-quarter of the great crowd of voters present heard and understood it, and yet it was passed upon and adopted just as though every person in the house took it all in. It was a fortunate thing that Mr. Johnson raised the point and called the attention of the meeting to it, and the action was proper and right, but we could not help thinking how much better the thing would have been done under a city government.

— The series of games by the New England Central Polo League which began several months ago closed last week. It proved a successful tournament for some of the stronger managers who have large rinks, while others have not come out of it so well. The series has afforded a fund of entertainment for lovers of the sport, more particularly in contests between the Woburns and Walthams, the two leading teams in the League. The close found the Woburns and Walthams just where they were on the start—the Walthams first, and the Woburns second and very close to the first. Two League games a week have been played at Carter's Academy all through the winter and spring, which have generally speaking been well patronized, and the supposition is Mr. Carter has made money out of the series. A spring League is to be organized to be composed of four clubs—Woburns, Walthams, Salems and Bostons—to supplement the winter games. This combination will soon go to work. The leading clubs, including the Woburns, are now playing a tournament, and it is said a Manager's game is soon to come off. On Wednesday evening, April 28, a grand costume carnival is to be given at Carter's Academy which will prove the strongest attraction of the season. To wind up with, the patrons of polo, the public and Mr. Carter feel that we have a polo team that can't be worsted in a fair fight and open field by any in the State.

Town Meeting.

An adjourned Town Meeting to act on the remaining articles in the Warrant was held in Lyceum Hall last Monday evening. Col. Grammer, of course, was Moderator, and he dispatched business with rapidity and to the satisfaction of all present.

ARTICLE 7. To hear and act on the reports of the Auditors, Selectmen, School Committee, Library Trustees, Cemetery Commissioners, Water Commissioners, Sinking Fund Commissioners, Chief of Fire Department, Chief of Police and Town Clerk, for the year ending February 28, 1886.

All the reports were accepted as printed.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will authorize their Treasurer, under the direction of the Selectmen, to hire money in anticipat on of taxes to be assessed and collected.

Voted to authorize the Treasurer, etc.

ARTICLE 9. To determine what amount of money the town will raise and appropriate for the support of the poor; for highway, bridges and sidewalks; for new roads; for the support of the schools and for school purposes, Fire Department, Library, Town Officers; interest on Town debt; Sinking Funds, Street Lights, Police; Health, and all other necessary appropriations.

At the meeting held on April 4 a committee of nine were appointed under this article who reported the following recommendations: That the Treasurer be authorized to hire an amount of money necessary to settle the Whitney claim and expenses, $7,000, for a term of 10 years, at the lowest rate of interest, and provide for the payment of the same under Chap. 133, Acts of 1882;

Under Article 25, that the Treasurer be authorized to hire $3,000 for Water Works construction as authorized by Chap. 200, Acts 1884, at the lowest rates of interest, for a term of 10 years, and provide for payment of the same under Chap. 133, Acts, 1882:

Voted that after October 15, 1886, interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum shall be charged on all unpaid taxes until January 1, 1887; and thereafter on all unpaid taxes interest shall be charged from October 15, 1886, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum until paid.

That the following appropriations be made:

SCHOOLS.		Balance.
Teaching, care of rooms and fuel,	28,000	3,773 57
Incidentals,	2,250	2 59
Text-books,	1,600	53 11
Evening schools,	600	122 25
Drawing "		176 89
GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		
Health,	400	124 94
Highways, Bridges and Sidewalks,	12,000	803 08
New Roads,	1,000	210 06
Fire Department,	9,500	28 54
Hydrant Service,	7,200	
Almshouse,	3,500	25 66
Outside Relief,	5,000	559 69
Police,	6,000	421 96
Street Lights,	4,500	228 04
Town Library, (dog tax, and)	1,500	488 82
Printing,	500	61 82
Land Damage widening Main street,	2,100	
Payment of Town Officers,	5,700	
Interest on Town Debt,	9,500	
Interest on Water Bonds,		3,625 00
Miscellaneous Expenses,	1,000	6 30
LOANS AND FUNDS.		
Temporary Loans, Water Construction,	3,000	
Whitney Claim and Expenses,	7,000	
Water Loan sinking Fund 1 per cent. of Debt,	5,052 31	
" " 1879, 3 per cent. and Int.	1,957 50	
" " 1880, 3 " " " "	1,602 50	
" " 1881, 3 " " " "	1,800	
Municipal Loan, 1881-2, 3 per cent. of Interest,	1,320	
" " 1883-4, 10 per cent. of Interest,	4,000	
State and County Taxes,	13,000	
Water Works Construction,		1,638 97
" " Expenses,		446 28

That the bond of the Collector of Taxes be $30,000, and the Town Treasurer's $50,000: that the Collector be required to make a monthly report of his doings to the Selectmen. Under Art. 9 it was voted to raise and appropriate $700 for the widening Montvale Avenue near Walnut street as required by the decision of the County Commissioners.

ARTICLE 10. To see what disposition the Town will make with the money received from the County for dog licenses.

Voted to appropriate it to the Town Library.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept a list of persons qualified to serve as Jurors as revised and submitted by the Selectmen, or do anything in relation to the same.

The name of George A. Hobbs was erased from the list, and then it was adopted.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will provide for the payment of notes, one of which has become due February 20, 1886, for $10,000, and one will become due May 1, 1886, for $2,000, under provision of Chapter 133, Acts of 1882, or do anything in relation to the same.

Postponed to be acted on at an adjourned meeting to be held on Tuesday evening, April 27.

ARTICLE 13. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the observance of "Memorial Day," and how the same shall be expended, or do anything in relation to the same.

Voted to appropriate $300 the same to be expended under the supervision of a committee of the G. A. R., whose names are as follows: Milton Moore, William P. Warren, J. F. Leslie, Jacob Kendall, John Maloney, William T. Kendall.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the town will authorize its Treasurer to pay State Aid to volunteers, or their dependents, under the direction of the Selectmen.

Voted to authorize.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to revise the Town By Laws, or do anything in relation to the same.

Voted, that a committee of five be appointed by the Moderator to examine the Town By-laws, ascertain what portion, if any, are in conflict with the public laws, and report at a future meeting. Mark Allen, John G. Maguire, Edward F. Johnson, Thomas H. Hill, Montressor T. Allen were appointed said committee.

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to consider the propriety of selling the land now occupied by Armory and School house, or land and buildings, or the removal of said buildings, and providing accommodation for Armory and Lockup on other location, or do anything in relation to the same.

Referred to Selectmen and School Committee to report at next meeting.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote and appropriate a special appropriation of three hundred dollars, to grade Arlington street, to grade of Carter street, at north end of said Arlington street, the gravel or ballast taken off said Arlington street to be strewed on Belmont street the west side of Arlington street.

Voted to appropriate $300.

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will release to Czarina Littlefield the easement, privilege, incorporeal hereditament and right of view which it holds in and over a portion of her estate on Pleasant street and which said easement is fully described in a deed given by Sylvanus Wood, Jr., to Bowen Buckman, dated August 8, 1831, and recorded with Middlesex (So. Dist.) Deeds, Book 306, page 351, or do anything in relation to the same.

Referred to Selectmen and Trustees of the Public Library to investigate and report at a future meeting.

ARTICLE 19. To see if the town will vote to accept the bequest contained in the will of John Clough deceased also to see what measures the Town will take to ascertain and protect its rights under said will.

Postponed to adjourned meeting on April 27.

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will establish the rate of wages for employees on the highways, other than mechanics, at two dollars per day and that fifty-nine hours constitute a full week's work, and that the working hours on Saturday be nine hours.

Voted to adopt the article.

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will direct that no highway labor be contracted for, or do any hing in relation to the same.

Referred to the Selectmen.

ARTICLE 22. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on laying out a street running westerly from Warren street, near Main, as a public way.

Report was adopted.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will appropriate any money for setting out shade trees on the sidewalks, or do anything in relation to the same.

This was indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 24. To see if the town will vote to change the name of Rag Rock Avenue, (so called) to Harrison Avenue or do anything in relation to the same.

Voted to change the name to Harrison Avenue.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the town will appropriate for Water Works Construction as recommended by the Commissioners, a sum of money not exceeding $15,000, provide for payment of same under provisions of Chapter 29, Section 9, Public Statutes; or Chapter 133, Acts of 1882, or do anything in relation to the same.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will provide for the payment of settlement of the Whitney claim and expenses, or do anything in relation to the same.

The report of the Committee of Nine covered the questions and matters involved in these two articles, and were acted on by the meeting under Article 9.

The meeting then adjourned to 7.30 o'clock, Tuesday evening, April 27, 1886.

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West Point Academy.

A competitive examination for a candidate as cadet at the United States Military Academy to fill a vacancy now existng for the 5th Congressional District, will be held at the Surgeon General's office, State House, Boston, Saturday, April 24, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. Candidates must be residents of the District, between the ages of 17 and 21 years, and proficient in all the branches of study in the grammar grades, especially mathematics, and will be subject to a rigid examination. The successful candidate will present himself at the Military Academy for final examination not later than June 15. The second highest in order of merit will be designated as alternate, and will be entitled to examination at West Point in case the candidate selected fails in his examination.

Any further information can be obtained from Gen. Alfred F. Holt, at the State House, Col. Ephraim Stearns, 39 Franklin St., Boston, or F. B. Richardson, Woburn.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

METHODIST.—No preaching next Sunday. Sunday School and Evening Prayer Meetings as usual.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. Service of praise and preaching at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

UNITARIAN.—Services at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. In the morning, Rev. H. C. Delong of Medford will preach. In the evening, the pastor will give a lecture entitled, "The Gate City of the South." All are cordially invited.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL.—Service and sermon by the Rector at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school and Bible Class at 12 m.; Service and sermon: The Attraction of the Cross, at 7 p. m.; During the week, being Holy Week, Service and address every evening except Saturday at half seven. Good Friday, April 23d, Service at 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Saturday, Easter Eve, Baptismal service at 4 p. m.

The Scandinavian Evangelical Society, Y. M. C. Rooms. Sunday, preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 m. Praise meeting at 6.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Bible Reading, Friday at 7.30 p. m. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise meeting at 4 o'clock. Boys' meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30. Scandinavian services Sunday at 10.30, Wednesday evening at 7.30. Reading Room open daily from 2 to 5 p. m., and from 6.30 to 9.30 p. m., Wednesday excepted. Boys' Branch at 7.45 p. m., on Tuesdays. Sunday 9 a. m. Prayer meeting.

Danish Evang. Lutheran (St. Peters) Society, 218 Main street. Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m., praise meeting. Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock, preaching by Rev. V. A. M. Mortensen, pastor.

UNION A. M. E. Services at 11 a. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m. Regular meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7.45.

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In Stoneham, April 3, M. J. Flynn, aged 6 mons.
In Stoneham, April 7, Hattie Menahin

WINCHESTER.

The W. V. I. A. have appropriated $100 towards a fountain for the Common. Contributions are solicited for money to furnish one with.

Last Monday afternoon Rev. John G. Brooks and William Lloyd Garrison addressed a meeting of the Fortnightly Club. Several ladies also spoke.

Mr. Parkhurst has fully regained his wonted robust physical condition and resumed labors as Principal of the High School. Everybody seems to be glad of it.

Dr. B. F. Church read what was pronounced an able paper at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Homœpathic Medical Society held at the Parker House last Wednesday.

Last Monday Waldmyer & Co. agreed to and signed the price list and conditions submitted by the calf-skin workers after a pretty long tussle. The firm put the Knights off from Saturday to Monday and then asked for more time, but the latter would not listen to it, and Waldmyer had to yield. The Knights here are earnest, aggressive and bound to have their rights. They are getting them too.

Next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Messrs. Twombly and Sons, the eminent Boston florists whose homes and hot-houses are here, will give the largest and finest floral exhibition in Horticultural Hall, Boston, that was ever seen there. It is to be given in aid of The Associated Charities and will have the patronage and support of a large number of the first ladies in Boston, besides contributions from all the most celebrated florists in and around the city. The display of hybrid roses by the Twomblys will be a magnificent one that will draw crowds of people who love flowers.

The new Wyman school house is completed and opened for business. It is a beauty, the style being of an order of architecture which your correspondent would not dare to name, much less describe. It is undoubtedly one of the handsomest and best school buildings in Middlesex county, for the fashion and erection of which the Building Committee are entitled to great praise. It is splendidly situated for school purposes, and is a fine ornament to the most beautiful residence part of our handsome village. The building too is commodious, convenient, admirably arranged, and one of which Winchester has a perfect right to feel proud. Everybody is pleased with it, and all think the committee have done admirably.

"The Winchester Record," a neat quarterly published by the Winchester Historical and Genealogical Society, for April has been issued with an interesting and valuable table of contents. There is a lengthy paper on the Walker family which embodies a large fund of information about many other things besides the family, and is one of the most important contributions to the issue. The number contains a fac simile of a map of Woburn drawn in 1794, and also fac similes of deeds made by John Johnson, grandson of the famous Edward, in 1694, which convey land in Woburn to different parties, and besides these the issue is further illustrated by groups and single portraits, buildings, etc. In point of historical interest and value the April number of "The Record" has not been surpassed by any of its worthy predecessors, and the gentlemen who are chiefly instumental in procuring its regular publication deserve great credit for the liberal amount of work, time and money they put into it.

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BURLINGTON.

The Burlington friends of Mr. Benjamin Browne of the Boston postoffice will be saddened to learn of his death, in Somerville, a week ago. For many years he has spent a considerable part of his vacation time with his relatives in this place and, being possessed of a genial and happy disposition, he gained a goodly number of friends. Many will mourn to think that he can visit our homes no more.

On Tuesday evening, the members of A. H. S. T Club of Arlington gave a benefit entertainment to the Literary Union, at the Town Hall. The tickets met with a ready sale, and a good audience attended. The entertainment was one of the most pleasing ever given here. The exhibition of leaping and tumbling by Mr. Henry Chadwick of the Boston Gymnasium and his pupils were very fine and the farce given by the ladies of the club excited a great deal of merriment. The singing also drew forth hearty applause from the audience. In all respects the entertainment was satisfactory and interesting. The affair was managed by Mr. G. W. Austin of Arlington, whose skill in such matters is well known by our people. After the entertairment a collation was served in the supper room, and after congratulations and good wishes had been interchanged by the A. H. S. T. Club and the Literary Union, the party separated.

Stetson's Shoe Store.

To our readers who buy their foot wear in Boston, we would recommend the Shoe Store of Mr. Stetson as a most excellent place to buy all kinds of Boots or Shoes of a perfectly reliable quality, at prices that cannot fail to be satisfactory. Any lady or gentleman can for from 2 to 3 dollars a pair can purchase from Mr. Stetson a boot or shoe that will give complete wear in every respect. His stock is large and well adapted to suit those who want a good article at a medium price. Stetson's Old Established Stand, 158 Hanover Street, right off the corner of Blackstone.

North Woburn.

Rev. L. Thompson will give an historical talk before the Village Union on next Monday evening in the church. His subject will be "North Woburn as I remember it in 1820" (not 1822 as stated last week), and it will without doubt be very interesting, for Mr. Thompson not only has a memory that has treasured up events of 65 years ago but has a happy faculty of pleasing an audience in relating them.

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School Meeting.

Dr. George P. Bartlett called the special meeting of the School Board to order last Tuesday evening and found all present excepting Aldrich, Harlow and Johnson.—Voted to adopt the rules and regulations of last year.——The Board went into organization for the current year and elected the following officers: Chairman, Dr. George P. Bartlett; Secretary, Superintendent Frank B. Richardson; Auditor, H. M. Aldrich.——Thomas Mulkeen was elected Truant Officer. Voted, that a Special Standing Committee be constituted consisting of the Superintendent and one member to be appointed by the Chairman, who shall have power at any time to open, close or consolidate any school or schools, such action to be subject to revision by the full Board, and to be reported to the Board at its next regular meeting; said special committee shall also have authority to designate the school to be attended by any pupil. Said special committee shall prepare a careful estimate of the number of pupils that may attend the different public schools in September next, and the number of schools that it may then be necessary to open, and of the grades to be formed in each, and report the same to the Board at its regular meeting in June. John Warren Johnson was appointed under this order.——The following Standing Committees were appointed: Rules and Regulations, Trull and Smith; Repairs, Aldrich and Lang; Text-books and Course of Study, Johnson and Harlow; Evening Schools, Bond and Kenney.——Adjourned.

Selectmen's Meeting.

Last Tuesday evening the new Board of Selectmen met at the Board's apartments in Bank Block and transacted such business as came up for action. The Chairman presided and Clerk Hill held the recorder's quill. The business attended to was as follows:

Petition to lay out extension of North Warren and Reed streets was referred to Committee on Highways.——Voted, That the WOBURN JOURNAL and *Woburn Advertiser* be designated as papers in which applications for licenses shall be published.——Clerk authorized to have all applications for licenses received up to April 15 instant advertised in this week's issue of the above named papers.——Victualler's licenses were granted to W. McDonough and Hugh Rafferty.——Voted not to grant 2d, 3d, and 6th class licenses.——Voted, That the fees for license be $200 for an inn-holder's license; $100 for a license of the 1st class; $50 for a license of the 4th class.——Applications for licenses were received from G. L. Cobb, J. C. Kelley, Anthony A. Doherty, Peter Kenney, Timothy Sheehan, Lawrence Martin, Hugh Rafferty.——Voted, that the Committees report nominations for appointments at a meeting to be held on April 20 instant.——Committee conventions with other Boards and matters of that nature, left with the Clerk to arrange.——Voted to hold a special meeting on Thursday evening to arrange some financial matters.——Voted to adjourn.

Floral Exhibition.

We take pleasure in calling the attention of the large number of Woburn people who admire flowers to the fact that Messrs. S. W. Twombly & Sons of Winchester, will open at Horticultural Hall, Boston, next Tuesday, to continue three days, the largest and most magnificent Floral Exhibition ever given there or in the city. The display from the greenhouses of the Messrs. Twombly is to be large, varied and beautiful, but its crowning attraction will be that of Hybrid Roses which are just now in their glory, and for the successful production of which no cultivators in the country have so wide and favorable a reputation. As the great floral show is to be given in aid of the Associated Charities nearly all of the leading ladies of Boston have already enrolled themselves among its patrons, and all of the most distinguished florists in and around Boston will contribute to its beauty and splendor. Many magnificent floral exhibitions have been given in Horticultural Hall, but the fact does not admit of a doubt that this one of the Twombly's will entirely eclipse in variety and beauty any of its numerous predecessors. All the best of Boston are on tip-toe for its opening. Doubtless many Woburn people will visit the grand floral display.

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great relief. It has entirely restored me to health." James French, Atchison, Kans., writes: "To all persons suffering from Liver Complaint, I would strongly recommend Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I was afflicted with a disease of the liver for nearly two years, when a friend advised me to take this medicine. It gave prompt relief, and has cured me." Mrs. H. M. Kidder, 41 Dwight st., Boston, Mass., writes: "For several years I have used Ayer's Sarsaparilla in my family. I never feel safe, even

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TOWN OF WOBURN.

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173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that GRANVILLE L. CONN has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as an Inn-holder of the 1st class, at No. 214 Main street, Central House, in said Woburn, in said Central House.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that HUGH RAFFERTY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at store on first floor of building situated at the junction of Montvale Avenue and Washington street, bounded easterly by said Washington street; southerly by Montvale Avenue; westerly by land of Owen Rafferty, and northerly by land of heirs of James McAvoy, in said Woburn, with the right to keep stock in cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that PETER KENNEY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at No. 223 Main street, Teare's building, so-called, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JAMES C. KELLY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at No. 232 on Main street, Ferrin building, so-called, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that LAWRENCE MARTIN has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, in store on first floor of building at the intersection of Montvale Avenue and Washington street. Said building is bounded southerly by Montvale Avenue; westerly by Washington street, and northerly and easterly by land of Annie Martin, in said Woburn, and stock in cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JOHN F. SCALLY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a grocer of the fourth class, at No. 244 Main street, in Salmon building, so-called, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JOHN F. SCALLY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at store in Salmon building, so-called, on Prospect street, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock kept in cellar of said building. Said building stands on land bounded easterly by Prospect street; southerly by Fowle street, and northerly and westerly by land of Patrick Coleman.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JOHN F. SCALLY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a grocer of the fourth class, at store in Salmon building, so-called, on Fowle street, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock kept in cellar of said building. Said building stands on land bounded easterly by Prospect street; southerly by Fowle street; northerly and westerly by land of Patrick Coleman.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that MOORE & MORRIS have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as grocers of the fourth class, in two rooms on first floor or story of Crehan building, so-called, entrance on Union street. Said building stands on land bounded northerly by Union street; westerly by Main street; easterly by land of J. Henry Parker, and southerly by land of heirs of Phillip Teare, in said Woburn, and stock in cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that MOORE & MORRIS have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as common victualers of the first class, in one room on first floor, Crehan building, so-called, entrance on Union street. Said building stands on land bounded northerly by Union street; westerly by Main street; easterly by land of J. Henry Parker, and southerly by heirs of Phillip Teare, in said Woburn, and stock in cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that ANTHONY A. DOHERTY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at No. 236 Main street, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that TIMOTHY SHEEHAN has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at No. 238 Main street, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that CHARLES H. BUSS has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a druggist of the fourth class, at No. 170 Main street, in said Woburn, in first floor of brick building owned by Trustees of Tufts College.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JOHN O'BRIEN has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at store in the Garland building, so-called, on the northerly side of Fowle street and at the junction of said street with a private way leading northerly out of said street to estates of Tyler and McHugh, in said Woburn, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. Said building stands on land bounded southerly by Fowle street; easterly by said private way; northerly by land of E. N. Blake, and westerly by land of Garland heirs.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that PATRICK E. TENNEY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as an Inn-holder of the first class, at Jefferson House, No. 14 on Main street, corner of Pond street, in said Woburn, in all the rooms and stock in cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JANE BUCKLEY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, in basement of her building on the easterly side of Middlesex street, between estate of Daniel Coughlan and John Skinkwin, in said Woburn, in front room and stock in rear room of basement of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that PATRICK D. CONLON has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a grocer of the fourth class, at store on first floor and stock in cellar of the Maguire building, so-called, situated at the junction of Conn Court with Conn street, in said Woburn. Said building stands on land bounded northerly by Conn street; easterly by Conn Court; southerly by land of Clarrisa R. Parker, and westerly by land of L. L. Whitney, Jr.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes that WILLIAM W. HILL has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a druggist of the fourth class, at No. 149 Main street, in said Woburn, in first floor of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that PATRICK E. TENNEY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a bottler and wholesaler of the fourth class, in two rooms in basement, one room on first floor and one room on second floor of his stable building so-called, situated on the northerly side of Pond street in said Woburn. Said building stands on land bounded southerly by Pond street; northerly by land of Joseph Buck and Bridget Burns and westerly by land of said Buck and William H. Richardson.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JOHN H. CONNOLLY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a grocer of the fourth class, at store No. 243 Main street, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock kept in cellar of said building. Said building stands on land at the junction of Broad street with Main street.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JOHN MCGOVERN has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class in front room on first floor, and stock in cellar of building owned by Daniel McMurray on northerly side of Fowle street in said Woburn. Said building stands on land bounded easterly and westerly by other land of said McMurray; northerly by land of Theophilus King, Jr., and southerly by said Fowle street.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 15, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that ALICE COGAN has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, in one story building owned by her on the westerly side of Albany street, in said Woburn, and stock in cellar of said building. Said building stands on land bounded northerly and westerly by heirs of Patrick Kenney; easterly by Albany street and southerly by other land of the applicant.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

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ANNUAL MEETING

— OF —

Woburn Board of Trade.

In accordance with the Constitution of the Woburn Board of Trade,

NOTICE is hereby given that the ANNUAL MEETING of the Board will be held in ARMORY HALL, TUESDAY EVENING, April 20, 1886, at eight o'clock.

It is proposed to amend Article IV of the Constitution by substituting quarterly instead of monthly meetings.

It is also proposed to amend Article VIII by making the annual fee five instead of ten dollars.

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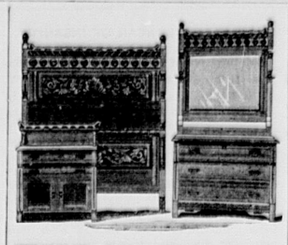
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Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

By license of the Probate Court for the County of Middlesex, the subscriber, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Mary F Hart, late of Concord, in the State of New Hampshire, deceased, will sell at public auction, at the Court Room of the Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex, situate in Woburn, at the corner of Montvale Avenue and Main street, on Tuesday, the twenty seventh day of April, A. D. 1886, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all the right, title and interest the said Mary F. Hart, at her decease, had in and to a certain lot of unimproved land containing about forty-five acres, situate on the easterly side of Middle street in said Woburn, and bounded as follows, namely:—Westerly and northwesterly on and by said Middle St., and by land of Jonathan Thompson; northeasterly by land now or late of Wyman, and by lands of persons unknown; southeasterly by lands of McManus, Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation and others unknown; and southerly by land formerly of Walter Wyman, and others unknown. Meaning and intending the premises, however bounded and described, or reputed to be bounded and described, known as the "Frog Hole" lot, and of which John Fowle 2d, died seized and possessed.

And thereafter, to wit, on the said twenty-seventh day of April, at quarter past four o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court Room aforesaid, the subscriber as administrator as aforesaid, will sell at public auction all the right, title and interest we said Mary F. Hart, at her decease, had in and to a certain lot of land situate near the junction of Lexington street and Pleasant street, in said Woburn, and bounded as follows, namely:—Northerly by land now or late of Frost; easterly by land now or late of Stephen Dow; southerly by land now or late of James Nelson; and westerly by land late of Marshall F. Barrett, deceased. Meaning and intending to sell the lot of land which was set off to the said Mary F. Hart out of the estate of James Fowle, deceased. Terms made known at time and place of sales.

EDWARD F. JOHNSON, Administrator.
Woburn, April 6, 1886.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of William Temple, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Susan T. Greenough, of said Woburn, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of April instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty six.

16-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

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Woman's Column.

Public spirit is as natural to a woman as to a man. Are we, who are the mothers and guardians of humanity, to sit down in selfish unconcern for the ease and the comfort and the æsthetic decoration of our firesides? When I was a younger woman I took the flock of my babies, and I had a goodly one, all to church one day, and I said to the grave, stern old pastor, "See what a mother in Israel I am." He looked down at me as he replied, "It takes a good deal more than that to make a mother in Israel." It does, indeed. When our children are grown and they fall a prey to the snares that life sets for them, why may they not come back to us and say to us, "You knew that these evil things were, you saw the pitfalls that were dug for us; why did not you, our mothers, long years ago shake off your sloth and make, you order-lovers, this world sweeter and cleaner for us to walk in?" There are duties upon duties before us, but if we serve the eternal principles of right we shall leave a glory round our path.

Why are we all so much afraid of the ridicule and opposition of men in this matter of the ballot? Why, the good men and the true are weeping at our cowardice and frivolity. The men who are our ideals, the generous, strong-souled men, are with us if we did but know it. You know when Roderick Dhu sounded his call, at the first syllable men sprang from out of the heather, till the hill-sides, silent, quiet the moment before, were alive with clansmen and with arms. So it will be with us. We must speak the grand old watch-words, truth, purity, justice, and an army of men will start to their feet, and will cry to us, "Here we are; we, too, will fight for you and with you; we will not see you oppressed." Take courage; this contest must be fought out to the bitter end; not because we wish it; not because Lucy Stone or Mrs Livermore or Frances Willard wishes it, but because the eternal principles of right demand it. Human society needs the aid which women can give it.—Julia Ward Howe.

The Royal University of Ireland has just given the title of B A. to nine lady students, and to four of these it has accorded honors. The vice-chancellor, Lord Emly, in his opening address, stated that out of six scholarships offered for competition among the candidates who had passed the matriculation examination, three were carried off by ladies—one in mathematics and two in modern literature. Lord Emly closed his speech by saying, playfully, "My lords and gentlemen—What is to become of us if in addition to the subduing influence of grace and beauty, is to be added the mental discipline of mathematics and the acuteness of the practiced logician? They [the ladies] take possession of weapons we fondly deemed to be our exclusive property."

The Genius of American Women.

It is noticeable that while American women soar right into the masculine atmosphere of mechanical and scientific research and invention, English women are mostly content with what is generally regarded by men as their own particular sphere. While an American woman invents the Burton horse-shoe machine, an Englishwoman takes out a patent for an improved pea soup; while Miss Mary E. Waltren perfects a system for deadening the sound of elevated railroads, her English sister, a governess, patents a registering label and means of attachment to boots and shoes at hotels and other establishments; while Mrs. A. H. Manning invents a new mowing and reaping machine on your side of the water, the English widow of a bookseller registers improvements for the manufacture of bread; Mrs. Mather, in the United States, improves the deep sea telescope, and Mrs. Jones, of England, makes a compound sardine paste.

The women suffragists should give Austria a good word. The Austrian Government has decided to refuse passports to travel beyond the frontier to married men who cannot show the written consent of their wives to their going abroad. At least so says an exchange. Evidently the Emperor of Austria wants to encourage the stay-at-homes.

Fifteen years ago Mr. Joseph Arch was a farm laborer supporting his family on $4 weekly wages, and he is now a member of Parliament. He is what is commonly called a self-made man, but as his wife taught him to read and write he may be considered a creditable specimen of domestic manufacture.

Novel by two Authors.

The new novel entitled "The Right Honorable," which is announced, is the joint work of Mrs. Campbell Praed and Mr. Justin McCarthy, M. P. The collaboration of a man and a woman in a work of fiction, is said to be an experiment that has never yet been tried. In this case the author and authoress have worked together on every character, scene, incident and page. It will, therefore, be exceedingly curious to observe the respective traits or heredity in their literary offspring.

The factory girls in an English town have received orders to cease wearing fringes, and to part their hair in the middle, on pain of immediate dismissal. Such a command may be obeyed in England, but it is not to be believed that an American factory owner would dare to issue such an order.

A number of Wellesley College girls have formed a suffrage league and are asking for a chance to vote in city elections.

The most obstinate cases of Catarrh are cured by the use of Ely's Cream Balm, the only agreeable remedy. It is not a liquid or snuff and is easily applied. For cold in the head it is magical. It gives relief at once. Price 50 cents.

A cold of unusual severity which I took last autumn developed into a difficulty decidedly catarrhal in all its characteristics, threatening a return of my old chronic malady, catarrh. One bottle of Ely's Cream Balm completely eradicated every symptom of that painful and prevailing disorder.—E. W. Warner, 165 Hudson St., Rochester, N. Y.

A sentimental writer says "a baby is a link which binds its mother to heaven." Pretty often it is a link which binds her to the house when she is "almost dying" to go out making calls or to do a little shopping.

LOVE THE UNLOVELY.

"This is the doctrine, simple, ancient, true;
This is life's trial, as old earth smiles and knows;
If you loved only what were worth your love,
Love was clear gain, and wholly well for you;
Make the low nature better by your throes!
Give earth yourself, go up for gain above!"
—Browning.

THE PIGS AND THE WEATHER.

The Habit of Gathering Sticks and Grass—A Meaningless Couplet.

Of pigs, I have heard it said, very frequently:

"When swine carry sticks, the clouds will play tricks—" but that—"When they lie in the mud, no fears of a flood."

The first of these couplets is of twofold interest. I have watched them for years, to see what purport this carrying of sticks and bunches of grass might have, and have only learned that it has nothing whatever to do with the weather, or at least with coming rain-storms. The drouth of summer is so far a convenience as to throw light upon this habit, as it did upon the uneasy cows. Pigs carry sticks as frequently then as during wet weather, or just preceding a shower. Furthermore, these gathered twigs are not brought together as though to make a nest, but are scattered about in a perfectly aimless manner. For some cause, the animal is uneasy, and takes this curious method of relieving itself. The probabilities are that it is a survival of some habit common to swine in their feral condition, just as we see a dog turn about half a dozen times before lying down.

In an interesting paper on local weather-lore, read by Mr. Amos W. Butler before the American Association for the Advancement of Science, during the Philadelphia meeting of 1884, the author has another version of this saying: "When hogs gather up sticks and carry them about, expect cold weather." This is wholly at variance with what I have observed, for my memoranda record this habit almost wholly during the hot weather, and this must necessarily be the rule with New Jersey swine, or the local weather-prophets would not have coined the verse as I have given it.

As to the other couplet, it is about as near meaningless as any saying can well be. Some rustic rhymer, a century ago, may have added it as a piece of fun, but it has stuck most persistently. As it stands now, it has stood for quite 100 years.—Dr. C. C. Abbott in Popular Science Monthly.

Dinner a la Greecian.

There is a Philadelphia club called "The Gourmands," and it is said to be rightly named. Its last annual dinner was eaten on Saturday night, and was supposed to be served in the "Greek style." Everything was served whole and as natural as possible. Goldfish were passed around alive is glass globes and soon after served with their scales on. A young wild boar, cooked, but life-like, adorned the center of the table. Several 'possums, looking very life-like in their furry pelts, stood around until devoured. One of the novelties was a pie of baked blackbirds.—Exchange.

A Flock of Sheep on Drill.

Alma Hill, of Bronwood, has about 200 head of sheep on his place and a good many cockle burs. One day not long ago he was in the field and saw fifteen sheep side by side, their heads all pointing the same way, looking as if out for a drill. He yelled at them to move, and the whole gang moved at once. It was some time before he ascertained that the burs had got into their wool and they were stuck together.—Americus (Ga.) Recorder.

Steady Growth of Southern Industry.

The south is now producing at the rate of $300,700,000 more of agricultural, manufacturing and mining products a year than in 1880, and is steadily increasing even these stupendous figures. This is a little more than the average value of the entire cotton crop, and is $25,000,000 greater than the total value of the wheat crop of the whole country in 1885.—Philadelphia Call.

The Great Sewer of Ancient Rome.

The Cloaca Maxima is well known as the great common sewer of ancient Rome. It is of Etruscan architecture, and still serving its original purpose, is as firm as when its foundations were laid. It was built at least 2,400 years ago, and it is one of the few monuments of Rome whose antiquity has never been assailed.—Texas Siftings.

Largest Glass Window in America.

The largest plate glass window in America was put up a few days ago in a new Broadway store. The height was 15 feet and 11 inches, and the breadth 8 feet and 4 inches, almost tall enough for a railroad coach to pass through.—Philadelphia Call.

The Monument a Great Disappointment.

"The Washington monument," writes a Potomac penciler in The Troy Times, "is a great disappointment to visitors. While the structure is in reality 555 feet high, it does not appear, in the eyes of the average mortal, to be over 250.

Musical Tones by Electricity.

A German investigator has succeeded in producing musical tones from metal plates by electrifying them intermittently from an induction machine.—Chicago Herald.

Money Belts of the Old Greeks.

The Greeks wore a belt around their loins made double or hollow like our shot belts, for the purpose of carrying money deposited in it around their persons.

The Wealth of Harvard College.

Harvard college now has $4,922,393, of which $1,903,770 is in real estate, $1,779,-854 in railroad bonds, and $840,987 in notes and mortgages.

A lady remarked of a scholar noted for his taciturnity and arrogance: "He seems to me an anomaly in natural philosophy; he is gravity without attraction."—Demorest's Monthly.

A Beautiful Easter Card.

The Virgin Salt Co., of New Haven, Conn., are making a grand offer to introduce their salt. Go and ask your grocer for Virgin Salt and get an elegant Easter Card. In addition we offer an extra inducement: a pair of Doves beautifully lithographed in in ten colors, as natural as life, on a large card 9x10 inches. Virgin Salt is the cleanest, purest and whitest salt ever seen or used. A large package costs only 10 cents.

The rural population of Carthagena lived in slight huts made of reeds or cane, sometimes in a circular form like an oven, or at others of an oblong shape with bulging sides like the hull of a vessel.

Biliousness

Is very prevalent at this season, the symptoms beings bitter taste, offensive breath, coated tongue, sick headache, drowsiness, dizziness, loss of appetite. If this condition is allowed to continue, serious consequences may result. By promptly taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, a fever may be avoided or premature death prevented. It is a positive cure for biliousness. Sold by all druggists.

A LATENT STREAK OF INSANITY.

Peculiarities of People Who Are Not Exactly Compos Mentis—"A Fixed Idea."

Some one has said that in every one of us there is a latent streak of insanity, and I guess he wasn't far in the wrong. The only thing is to keep our streak from being discovered. There was an old lady in Michigan who kept a boarding-house for students. She kept a good boarding-house. She made royal pies, and she brought the juciest roasts upon the table that the hollowest student ever consumed. She had the peculiarity of not being able to write her name. The students, although they liked her pies, regarded her with great contempt. She was the last person to whom they thought of applying when they began to miss their Greek and Hebrew books, and great was their astonishment when one of them, who happened to go into her room for a fire-shovel, found them hidden in crannies about the fire-place. They recovered possession only to have them stolen again, and it became the regular thing, when one of these books were missing, to search the old lady's room until it was found.

Her peculiarity is equaled by that of another old lady over seas who had a mania for watches, and never a peddler came to the door with them but she made a considerable purchase of them. So poor was she that she must have denied herself her full allowance of porridge to indulge in the singular luxury. When she died her friends found an immense oaken "kist," as high as a table, and half as long as her ill-covered bed, filled with them. There is an old gentleman of respectability and comparative wealth who never loses an opportunity to possess himself of a paper of pins. If he goes into a dry goods store to make a purchase, which he does once a week, he never rests until he catches sight of the pin basket, and he is apt to carry these pointed reminders of his visit away with him.

But after all is he any more of a madman than we who collect more books than we can read, or pay a great sum for a black-letter volume whose pages are sealed to us? What under the sun does a man want with sixty different editions of Shakespeare? He might just as well have sixty different pairs of spectacles. A physician of an insane asylum would denominate this as a species of comparative aberration known as "a fixed idea." For instance, I know a man who never pays his fare on the street cars without afterward holding an imaginary altercation with the conductor—the latter demanding the fare a second time, and he indignantly insisting that he paid it, and that the conductor's carelessness is inexcusable. He fights against this feeling whenever he feels it coming on, but it is too strong for him. I have recommended him to procure a free pass as a as a relief from his "fixed idea."

An estimable lady of my acquaintance has an exasperating trouble of this nature. Some powerful mental influence compels her every few minutes to regard her left thumb with the most intense interest. Now there is nothing remarkable about this useful portion of her anatomy, either in size, shape, or feeling, yet her eyes are riveted upon it at stated intervals, to the great annoyance of herself and family. She is mentally strong, and comes of a family of good mental and physical condition, but somewhere in her make-up there was an influence working at cross-purposes with the surrounding forces. I have heard of a gentleman who was similarly impelled to count everything he saw. In this way he finds himself counting passengers in street cars, windows in houses, all the horses in sight, the buttons on people's clothes, etc., till he is almost out of his senses. He is under medical treatment for the trouble, which seems to be undermining his mental powers.—Chicago News "Rambler."

A Most Mischievous Practice.

"Picking the ears" is a most mischievous practice; in attempting to do this with hard substances an unlucky motion has many a time pierced the drum and made it as useless as a bursted rubber life-preserver; nothing sharper or harder than the end of the little finger, with the nail pared, ought ever to be introduced into the ear, unless by a physician.

Persons are often seen endeavoring to remove the "wax" of the ear with the head of a pin; this ought never to be done; first, because it not only endangers the rupture of the ear by being pushed too far in, but if not so for, it may grate against the drum, excite inflammation, produce an ulcer which may finally eat all the parts away; second, hard substances have often slipped in, and caused the necessity of painful, dangerous, and expensive operations; third, the wax is manufactured by nature to guard the entrance from dust, insects, and unmodified cold air, and when it has subserved its purpose it becomes dry, scaly, and light, and in this condition is easily pushed outside by new formations of wax within.—Boston Transcript.

The Discovery of a New Grain.

Specimens of a peculiar grain grown by a Machias, Me., man from five kernels received by him from a friend, who said they had been taken from the crop of a wild goose, have been sent to several experts, including members of the marine board of agriculture, all of whom say that the grain is wholly unlike any American cereal. It is understood a sample will be tried in the agricultural department at Washington. The gentleman referred to has succeeded in raising about five bushels of the nondescript grain.—Chicago Herald.

Peculiarities of a Georgia Spider.

Georgia's latest oddity is a spider as big as a hickory-nut, the long, curved back whereof shows the human face in profile. The face is like that of a man of the Malay type, the brow, the eyes, the nose, the mouth, and the chin being imitated with a precision quite startling in its way.—Chicago Tribune.

Silence is vocal if we listen well.—Holland.

To Prevent Small Pox.

To the Editor of the Journal:

A sure preventive of Small Pox without vaccination, may be found in Dr. R. C. Flower's Nerve Pills, prepared by the Flower Medicine Co., and sold by all druggists.

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Pizarro, the conqueror of Peru, never learned to read or write. He was cunning, treacherous and cruel, his chief merits being courage and fortitude.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

The Electro-Magnetic Locomotive in 1851

Professor Page made a trial trip with his electric-magnetic locomotive on Tuesday, April 29, 1851, starting from Washington. The progress of the locomotive was at first so slow that a boy was enabled to keep pace with it for several hundred feet. But the speed was soon increased, and Blandensburg, a distance of, I believe, about five miles and a quarter, was reached in thirty-nine minutes. When within two miles of that place, the power of the battery being fully up, the locomotive began to run, on nearly a level plane, at the rate of nineteen miles an hour, or seven miles faster than the greatest speed heretofore attained. This velocity was continued for a mile, when one of the cells cracked entirely open, which caused the acids to intermix, and, as a consequence, the propelling power was partially weakened. Two of the other cells subsequently met with similar disaster.

The professor proceeded cautiously, fearing obstructions on the way, such as the coming of cars in the opposite direction, and cattle on the road. Seven halts were made, occupying in all forty minutes. But, notwithstanding these hindrances and delays, the trip to and from Bladensburg was accomplished in one minute less than two hours. The cells were made of light earthenware, for the purpose of experiment merely, without reference to durability. This part of the apparatus could therefore easily be guarded against mishap. The great point established was, that a locomotive on the principle of Prof. Page could be made to travel nineteen miles an hour. But it was found on subsequent trials that the least jolt, such as that caused by the end of a rail a little above the level, threw the batteries out of working order, and the result was a halt. This defect could not be overcome, and Prof. Page reluctantly abandoned his discovery.—Ben: Perley Poore.

When Bill-Boards First Came Into Use.

Bill-boards came into use as articles upon which announcements and proclamations were pasted in London about the year 1740. A man by the name of Loomis, who had been a street crier, obtained permission from the authorities to erect on vacant lots a number of boards, upon which he placed the official advertisements of the city and received a small stipend from the municipal authorities for the service. The erection of these boards and the matter placed upon them of course attracted the attention of the populace, and they were constantly surrounded by crowds reading the announcements. This fact struck the fancy of a Jew clothier as being an admirable plan to get an advertisement of his goods and place of business before the people, and he applied to Loomis for permission to have his proclamation pasted on the same board with the official announcements. Loomis being under the direction and in the pay of the city authorities could not agree to this proposition without consulting his superiors, and this was done.

The council debated long and seriously over the matter, and at last gave their consent on the condition that the Jew pay the city so much a year for the privilige. This was agreed to, and the bill-board and its covering was brought into existence as one of the necessities of commerce. The Jew's example was followed by other merchants, and as Loomis received a commission on all the new contracts made for bill-board work, he soon did a flourishing and profitable business, and his boards could be found in every quarter of the city. The idea being new and novel, spread as such things do, and it was not long until the bill-board was found in every civilized country. Columbus (Ohio) Capital.

"I Sent My Boy to College."

"I sent him off to college." "I sent him off to college." That is the epitome of damnation of thousands of boys. "I sent him off to college." Now, sir, you strike me at a point where I am ready to say this: It is a question in my mind whether I will ever send one of mine to a college or not. "Yes," you say, "you are opposed to education." No, I ain't; but I'd rather my boy would sit down in heaven to learn his A B C's than sitting down in hell reading Greek. I tell you my congregation, if I had a good boy who was loyal to God and the right, I might trust him at college; but if I have got a wayward, dissipated boy I will never send him to college to get shut of him. You have made a mistake as long as eternity to do so. There is many a man who has sent his boy to college because he did not know what else to do with him. You had better lure that boy to steal something and send him to the penitentiary. That is my judgment.

If he is no account the penitentiary is about as safe a place as a college, because he will not only dissipate but ruin every other decent boy he meets there. Let him practice on convicts if you want him to ruin somebody. Boys, let us be a comfort and consolation to mother.—Rev. Sam Jones.

Famous Mr. Eads as a Bit of a Boy.

When about 10 years old his father fitted for him a small workshop, and there he constructed models of sawmills, fire-engines, steamboats, steam-engines, electrical and other machines. One of the pastimes of his childhood was to take in pieces and put together again the family clock, and at 12 years he was able to do the same with a patent lever watch, with no tools but his pocket-knife. When 13 misfortune overtook his father, and he had to withdraw from school and work his own way.—Popular Science Monthly.

Transmission of an Electric Current.

Recent experiments in France show that the transmission of an electric current over a distance of fifty miles was effected with a loss of only 50 per cent. of the force with which it started on the journey. The current was a tremendous one, but no difficulty ensued from heating of the wire or the dynamo.—Chicago Herald.

Three or four new motors have been introduced on the market, to be operated by water, compressed air and gas.

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How to laundry linen as it is done in Troy, N. Y., has been kept a secret long enough; it can and should be done in every family. The ELASTIC STARCH is the only starch in the United States that is put up by men have a practical knowledge of the laundry profession. It requires no cooking, keeps the iron from sticking and linen from blistering while ironing, and gives shirts, cuffs and collars that stiffness and beautiful polish they have when new, which, everybody knows keeps them clean twice as long. Beware of imitations. See that the name J. C. HUBINGER & BROS., New Haven, Conn., is on every package.

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THE BRIEF LIFE OF A SONG.

Whistling a Tune into Notice and Then Burying It in Oblivion.

A song, a flower, an actor becomes popular. Everybody sings and whistles that song because it has a tune? Not exactly; other songs have tunes and do not achieve this universal sequence. The girls who sells a paper of pins hums a certain tune as she wraps up the little package; the grimy little boy who blacks "yer boots" whistles it as he puts on the shine; it is in the air, in the streets, in the parlor; it is played by German street bands and ground by the street organs; babies murmur it before they can talk; jokes are made at its expense; it resounds from Maine to Mexico; but how did it begin? and when and where does it end? There is even now a generation which has never heard "Pinafore;" in ten years from now no one will care for the "Pinafore" that drove this generation half distracted, and the chances are, should that opera be then revived, it would fall flat; its fun would not touch the humor of the day, and the young folks would say: "Dear me, this is decidedly antiquated; Why can't you give us something amusing?"

Once upon a time, about a thousand years ago, there was written a song known as "Villikins and His Dinah." It traveled far and wide, from cottage to palace, by rail and by sea; it was sung in the theatres between the acts; as encores at concerts; somebody even wrote a play on the touching story; it was whistled universally, and every undeveloped musical genius in the land sung nothing but "Villikins." Who knows now where that popular ditty first impressed itself on the sensitive public ear? Who knows, indeed, who wrote it, or by what inspiration he hit on a melody that bewitched millions as it did. Nobody sings it now, any more than he sings "Life on the Ocean Wave," "Ben Bolt," and a dozen other sentimental ballads that had such vogue; yet they are unchanged, and quite as fetching in substance as the hour they were written. A song or a tune has its day, and can never be resuscitated. The first person who whistled it into notice is lost in obscurity, and more singular yet, he who was the last to whistle it can never be discovered. Who is the man that finally buries the popular tune?

This view of the life of a song is distracting. Yesterday the classic "See-Saw" permeated society, to-day it is "Tit Willow," to-morrow—well, to-morrow's tune is unborn, but, as sure as the sun rises over Park street steeple, it will be here when it is wanted. Probably at this moment some poor devil in a back street in London is covering music paper with the notes of a tune for the music hall favorite to beguile a rough, uncritical crowd. It is wretched stuff, but it has "go," and go sends most any trash headlong into dangerous popularity. It catches on like a leech to the public's tympanum, and, after one or two nights, it will be carried away bodily. What is sung with success in the London music hall ascends with ease to the pale of good society.

The higher type—Gilbert and Sullivan songs—have bewitched nations, but if the readers of to-day live twenty years, their children will ask them who were this Gilbert and Sullivan, and nothing will induce them to believe those old-fashioned things were ever thought droll and amusing. "That ever considered fascinating! Why, my dear sir, you must be mistaken. How uninteresting it is. Don't you see we have outgrown all such rusty twaddle." In its day, "The Beggar's Opera" took London town by storm. London society lost its head in admiration of this new departure; its music, its singers; but let any reckless theatrical manager of to-day place on his stage that once popular "musical innovation," in all the glory of modern dress, and he would be beggared as well as Polly. "I can not sing the old song" warbles the tired world. No, you can't; that is the unblemished truth.—Bor. Boston Herald.

A Photograph from the Retina.

A physician friend of mine called my attention to an account of a recent attempt to observe in the retina of a murdered girl's eye the image of her unknown slayer. He laughed and said: "It is all nonsense to expect that this thing can be done. I have known of a dozen experiments, all of which failed from the very nature of the thing. All there is to it is this: The brilliant coat of the retina has a color due to what is known as visual purple, and this color is to some extent visibly impressed by light. When in college we tried a careful experiment on a horse. We gave the animal atropine and placed a negative of my own photograph over its eye. It was then kept in a dark room for six hours. This was followed by exposing the retina to the picture in broad daylight for a few moments. The result consisted of three dark patches representing my chin, nose, and forehead. It was an absolute failure as far as producing a recognizable likeness is concerned."—Chicago News "Rambler."

Good Manners of English Servants.

In the presence of their masters the English servants maintain a manner that may almost be said to be refined. It is quiet and subdued; too obsequious perhaps to suit the democratic idea, but otherwise unobjectionable. This manner, however, I suspect is something like the livery, put on for their superiors, and laid aside as soon as they alone.

In many old families there still lingers among the retainers an attachment for those they serve, a fidelity and devotion that recall the feudal feeling, and which are returned by a protection and interest that make the tie a not unlovely one. I knew instances of friendship on both sides as sincere and loyal, if not as familiar, as ever exists among equals.—Adam Badeau's Letter.

Fossil of the Oldest Known Bird.

The fossil remains of an archæopteryx, the oldest known bird, which seems to form the connecting link between birds and reptiles, has just been sold to the Berlin museum for $5,000.

A Walking Skeleton.

Mr. E. Springer, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., writes: "I was afflicted with lung fever and abscess on lungs, and reduced to *a walking Skeleton*. Got a free trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which did me so much good that I bought a dollar bottle. After using three bottles, found myself once more a man, completely restored to health, with a hearty appetite, and a gain in flesh of 48 lbs." Call at Hill's Drug Store and get a free trial bottle of this certain cure for all Lung Diseases. Large bottles 50 cents and $1.00.

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Little things console us, because little things afflict us.

It is the up-stretched hand that meets the down-stretched hand.

To have what we want is riches, but to be able to do without is power.

There shall be no success to the man who is not willing to begin small.

Things are unbearable just until we have them to bear; their possibility comes with them.

The yoke a man creates for himself by wrong-doing will breed hate in the kindliest nature.

Only in a world of sincere men is unity possible, and there, in the long run, it is as good as certain.

A set of mortals has risen who believe that truth is not a printed speculation but a practical fact.

Silence never shows itself to so great an advantage as when it is made the reply to calumny and defamation.

The dirk, as well as its name, is of Celtic origin. It was the side arm of the highland men.

The petrified skeleton of a whale over thirty feet long has been discovered by an officer of the coast survey on a range of mountains in Monterey county, Cal., over 3,300 feet above the sea level.

A California woman, while splitting wood, bit her tongue in two lengthwise. The fact that she now discharges both barrels at her husband makes him regret that he ever delegated the kindling recreation to her.

The cable announces that Prince Henry of Battenberg recently got a heavy fall while hunting. A similar mishap once endangered the brilliancy of these columns, but it was ever so long ago, and hunting for jam on the top shelf in the pantry was the cause of the calamity.

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JOHN'S STORY.

"Well, would you like to hear my adventure in New Orleans?" John Bright leaned his elbow on the arm of the red plush chair in which he sat, with a thoughtful look in his dark eyes.

"Why, yes, of course."

"By all means."

Eugene Carthon and his sister looked eagerly at the handsome blonde in front of them.

They had been talking about the New Orleans exposition, which all had visited the winter before, and naturally their conversation had drifted into personal reminiscenses and criticisms on the ways and manners of the people of that beautiful Southern city.

"Did you really have an adventure?" asked Nell, eyeing him questioningly from under her long dark lashes. They had intended to meet in the Crescent city, but through some misunderstanding the Carthon family had missed him. Nell had always felt a little aggrieved over this, just as if John had really been to blame in the matter, and all allusion to their sojourn in the South brought back that vague feeling of disappointment which had mingled itself with all her enjoyments while there.

Not that she cared anything for John Bright. Oh, no; not even to herself did she ever admit that. But then he was Eugene's most intimate friend, and he was such a bright, companionable fellow, how could she help liking him a little? "just for Eugene's sake, you know." She sincerely believed that it was her love for her brother that made her so solicitous always for his friend's comfort and so anxious to make him always feel at home and thoroughly welcome in her father's house.

"Well, go on with your story," said Eugene, lighting a cigarette, with his sister's permission, and puffing away expectantly. "I'll be getting drowsy, presently, if you don't wake me up with your thrilling episode."

"Well"—John twirled his blonde mustache reflectively, ignoring the last remark—"I was walking down Canal street one afternoon, when it began to rain, not violently, but enough to make a man feel uncomfortable, and the feathers on a woman's bonnet limp. Fortunately I had an umbrella, which, of course I immediately raised. Just as I did so, a young lady came out of the large dry goods stores behind me. She stood irresolute for a moment as though non-plussed by the rain, yet an evident anxiety possessed her to reach the car.

"Instantly I found myself in a strange dilemma. What should I do? There was a young lady, delicate and beautiful, richly attired in garments which the rain would certainly damage without the slightest protection from the elements; while I, not three feet distant was possessed of an umbrella amply large enough to shelter two. It seemed like a piece of impertinence, yet on the impulse of the moment I mustered all my gallantry, and, stepping forward, offered to escort her to the car.

"To my surprise, and I must say pleasure, she accepted gratefully, and we walked to the next corner to meet the car. I noted then the extreme loveliness of her beauty, which was of the pure Creole type, and the marvelous finish of her toilet, which showed in its richness of coloring the Southern taste. I could not censure her for her hesitation in exposing herself to the disastrous effects of the rain.

"When we reached the corner there was no car," John continued. "Being in Mardi-gras' time, there was always more or less delay. When the car did arrive, it was so crowded there was not a foothold. The next and the next proved to be the same. Unconsciously we walked on, the young lady by an almost imperceptible guidance directing our footsteps. We walked along the Rue Royal quite into the heart of the old French town, the young lady scarcely seeming aware of the fact that we had traversed so many blocks. I was too delighted with her bright conversation and naivette to wish to undeceive her, and so we walked along until she stopped suddenly in front of one of those gloomy French houses, so dreary in exterior appearance, but often beautiful and gay within. A high wall surrounded the dwelling, surmounted by nails driven in so that the points projected upward, a sure safeguard against marauders. As usual, a high balcony graced the front of the house. From the gate—a massive iron-barred one—a stone pave led up to the old-fashioned door.

"'I feel very grateful,' she said, lifting her big eyes to mine with a shadow of timidity in their depths which made them all the lovelier; 'and' she hesitated a little, 'I know my father would wish to thank you also, if—if—'

"'If you only knew whom to thank,' I added, with a conscious shame at my own lack of courtesy. Now, I don't know what prompted me to the action, but instead of handing her my own card, I gave her one of Frank Smith's, a young fellow rooming with me at the St. Charles, a drummer for a large firm in Detroit. His name graced the card in full, and also Tremoine & Leeman, the name of the firm he was connected with. It was a foolish thing to do, yet I never expected to see the young lady again, and I suppose it occurred to me that it would be a good joke on Smith.

"To my great astonishment, she recognized the firm name.

"'You must come in and see my father,' she said. 'Mr. Tremoine is an old friend of ours, and he will be so delighted to see you.'

"Into what kind of a scrape had I gotten myself? I declined as courteously as possible, trying to hasten away; but just then an old gentleman, appeared at the door, in answer to our ring at the gate for, as you remember, in New Orleans most of the bells are on the front gate.

"In a few words the young lady explained the situation. With a true Southern hospitality he invited me to enter, thanking me in most voluble terms for my kindness to his daughter. Seeing I would offend by not accepting their invitation, I stepped in with them. As usual in these French houses, the hall led into a little barren-looking court. From this, however, we entered into an apartment elegantly furnished.

"A servant took my umbrella and hat, and the old gentleman pushed forward a handsome easy chair for me seating himself near me. The young lady disappeared, reappearing in a little while in a charming dinner dress of garnet satin.

"I confess I was a little dazed by the sudden turn affairs had taken, and the *tete-a-tete* with the old gentleman (whose name I ascertained to be De Chartre) was most embarrassing, for he asked me a score of questions about Detroit and the people there, all of which I, never having been in that city, was obliged to answer at random, or from vague reminiscences of what Smith had told me casually.

"I tried in vain to turn the subject, and had almost given myself up to a desperate fibbing when I chanced to perceive that a piano was behind me. During a momentary lull in the conversation, in which De Chatre was probably trying to reconcile my rambling information with his own knowledge and conjectures, I turned to the young lady, requesting some music.

"To my relief she considered immediately, thus saving her father from any further surprises in the way of chaotic guessing on my part. She sang and played quite prettily, and I found myself even more prepossessed than I had been at first.

"After she had played several songs I rose to go, but as I did so, dinner was announced, and I was urgently invited by them both to remain. Again I saw that to refuse would be to offend, so, in order to preserve Smith's reputation from further damage, I accepted, resolving that I would exert my talents to the utmost in being entertaining. You see, I wanted them to speak a good word for Smith if ever they should chance to communicate with this Tremoine, whom I heartily wished at the bottom of the sea.

"After dinner we adjourned to the parlor—that is the young lady and myself—the old gentleman going off for a smoke, in which I declined to join him.

"The rain, which had been mild at first, now turned into a raging torrent. It beat savagely against the windows, and the wind swept mournfully through the court Now and then it crept under the doors and into the room, bringing a faint scent of orrange-blooms that were being swept from their stems on the bending trees without. But the inclemency of the weather outside only made the comfort and brightness of the apartment seem more perfect.

"With such a charming hostess the moments sped swiftly. I became more and more enthrawled with her dark eyes and her gracious manner, so typical of the grace which has made the Creole women celebrated. I don't know to what length I might have committed myself, had not the door opened and Mousieur de Charte once more appeared upon the scene. As it was, I think he surprised me saying some foolishly tender things to his daughter.

"I looked at my watch. A flush of shame crept over me. It was past ten o'clock. I felt that I had infringed on the hospitality extended to me. I began to apologize, but Monsieur de Chartre stopped me.

"'My dear sir,' he said, cordially, 'you cannot go out in such a storm. I will not permit it. My home is large. We have ample accommodations. Remain with us to-night.'"

"I thanked him sincerely. I could not feel grateful enough for such a warm and cordial hospitality. It is true indeed that these southerners have the kindest and most hospitable hearts in the world. An old and valued friend of the family could scarcely have been treated more kindly than I, a complete stranger, save for the slight stamp of genuineness which 'Tremoine & Leeman' gave me in this most elegant and beautiful home, every part of which betokened the wealth and position of the owner.

"A few moments later Jacques came to show me to my room. With a lingering glance, I bade the young lady good-night. It seemed to me that her beautiful eyes were filled with a shadow of regret for our brief acquaintance. Her father followed me to the court without giving me several messages for Mr. Tremoine and other friends in Detroit, all of which I promised to carry faithfully. Then, with a courtly good night, he intrusted me to the care of the waiting attendant.

"My apartment was handsomely furnished, in keeping with the rest of the house. It was apparently a back room connected with one in the front of the house by heavy folding doors, across which a red crimson *portiere* fell.

"Jacques brought me a pitcher of fresh water and some clean towels, and then, mumbling something in his unintelligible Creole French, bowed himself out.

"I examined the room carefully, locked all the doors except the folding one, which I found fastened on the other side, and went to sleep thinking what a capital joke that was on Smith, who was undoubtedly reposing beautifully in No. 105, at the St. Charles, unconscious of the strange escapade I had gotten him into. I resolved to write to the young lady as soon as I left the city, informing her of my little deception, and introducing the original Smith, whom I was quite sure would fall head over ears in love with her at sight. Poor Smith! I was just mapping out his future most beautifully, when Morpheus seized me and carried me off into dreamland.

"About midnight I was awakened by a slight noise in the room. A terrible present took possession of me. I dared not move for a second. My knees trembled, the cold drops of moisture stood on my brow. I lay shivering as though chilled by some actual, icy touch for a moment, then my healthy, vigorous physique reasserted itself. I was no coward even to myself. I rose steathily and crept to the light, turning the full blaze on suddenly.

"A change in the room startled me. The heavy portiere was thrown aside, the folding-doors stood wide open. Resolved to penetrate this mystery, I stepped into the other room.

"A cry of horror escaped me as I did so. I stood in the middle of the floor, petrified, the very blood freezing in my veins. There on the bed lay a man with his throat gashed from ear to ear, the red blood oozing slowly upon the white counterpane and the rich carpet beneath. His wide eyes were upturned to the ceiling, his white face transfixed with the death agony.

"For a second I stood there as if frozen to the spot, my senses reeling, my hands clinched in a sudden agony of mortal terror; then like a flash of lightning the truth swept over me. A terrible crime had been committed. The responsibility was to be laid on me. In the morning the police would come to arrest me. What vestige of power would I have to disprove it?

"With a sudden, quick energy, born of desperation, I went to my room and dressed myself, leaving not the slightest trace of my presence there. Assuring myself that not a card or a slip of paper was left as a clew to my identity, I took my boots in my hand and crept noiselessly down the stairway.

"When I reached the door beyond the court, I shrank back in dismay. I had forgotten it would be locked and barred. I entered the apartment where I had been entertained the night before, hoping to find a window unbolted. To my surprise I heard voices and perceived a light emanating from the room adjoining. The door between was slightly ajar. I walked breathlessly across the room and peeped through the crevice.

"Horror of horrors! What did I see there? The fine, courtly old gentleman of the night before seated at a faro table, surrounded by a motly crowd—and my fine young lady, the brilliant, sweet-voiced enchantress of the dinner table, dealing out faro blanks, opposite!

"It was enough. I turned away, realizing then that I was in New Orleans. I had gotten into one of the worst dens of the French city, and the beautiful Creole was probably one of the notorious characters I had so often read of.

"No wonder my blood ran cold. What if I could not escape? These were desperate characters with whom I could not cope. The outlook was terrifying.

"I cried each window cautiously. They all resisted my efforts to raise them: all but the last—that yielded a little. I struggled mightily, with the strength of despair. In doing so my hand touched a spring which I had not perceived before. In an instant the shadow was pushed up noiselessly, and with a stealthy bound I leaped through, landing unhurt on the ground a few feet below.

"But what to do next? There was that wall, surrounded by its rows of sharp nails. It would have been madness to have attempted to scale it. The gate was barred and fastened with a heavy chain. I could not cry out for assistance; that would have meant certain death from those desparate, dark-browed men at the faro table. What should I do? Again the cold drops of moisture dampened my temple. I was frantic. What should I do!"

John stopped in his narrative and lit the cigarette Eugene had handed him a little while before.

"What did you do?" Eugene was impatient of the delay. He leaned forward anxiously. His own cigarette had gone out. He had forgotten it in his absorbing interest.

"Yes, what did you do?" Nell repeated the question with a terrible anxiety in her brown eyes. Her Kensington lay unheeded on the floor, her elbows rested on her knees, one hand supporting her dimpled, eager face. Her breath came short and fast. She awaited the sequel with sympathizing, anxious eyes.

"Why?—John gave an energetic puff at his cigarette—"I awoke!"

Eugene sank back in his chair, and Nell collapsed physically and mentally, picking up her work with a disgusted air.

"Sold, by Jove!" exclaimed Eugene, after a pause, looking admiringly at his friend. "It is the best sell of the season."

"Oh, you horrible wretch!" cried Nell, when she had recovered her breath; "and so it was all a dream?"

"Yes," answered John, coldly. "I awoke in No. 105, at the St. Charles, with Smith asking me if I mistook him for a brick wall or a lamp post, that I was pounding him so vigorously."

Nell did not seem to care much for the sell so long as the beautiful Creole had proved a myth. The story had awakened her consciousness a little, and she seemed a little shyer of John for several days afterward. But I am happy to say that she was a sensible girl, and when John asked her if she only loved him for "Eugene's sake," she answered candidly, "No." Thus came the sequel to "John's Story."—*Fannie I. Sherrick.*

Letter from the Bermudas.

GLASGOW LODGE, SOUTHAMPTON, WEST BERMUDA, March 20, 1886.

To my Dear Friends in Burlington, Massachusetts:

"There is a land of every land a pride,
Beloved by nature o'er all the world beside;
Where brighter suns dispense serener light
And milder moons emparadise the night's
A land of beauty;
The wandering mariner whose eye explores
The wealthiest isles, the most enchanting shores,
Views not a realm more beautiful and fair,
Nor breathes the spirit of a purer air,
By the gay borders of Bermuda's isles,
Where spring with everlasting verdure smiles."

Glasgow Lodge is situated "by the gay borders of Bermuda's isles." The great sound lies spread out at our feet, its sparkling bosom, dotted with islands, rock bound and cedar crowned. Our shore is fringed with rocks, in all stages of roughness and grandeur. "The breaking waves dash high" on this rock bound coast, during a storm, and ripple musically when the calm waters of the bay come in with the tide. We are about eight miles from Hamilton, over a road delightfully crooked, by shady nooks and bright sunny knolls, breezy ups and downy downs, by pretty villas and groves of bananas, flowering oleander and convolvulus. The poet was right, when he says, "there spring with everlasting verdure smiles," for, notwithstanding the winter has been so cold, the hills are evergreen, and the lawns smile and look glad, the little kids hop and skip, and the crops look well. I saw a load of onions on the way to market, to-day, for the steamer which sails, on Monday. We are reveling in green peas, lettuce, new beets, tomatoes, parsnips, carrots new potatoes and onions, all fresh from the garden, and strawberries and cream are not out of order. When the sun shines here, "it dispenses serener light," and, if the moon is out, the nights are "emparadised." It is a "land of beauty." Being less than seven hundred and fifty miles from our coast, it is necessarily affected by the weather there, the Gulf Stream flowing between, tempering the wind, and thus making these islands such a delightful summer as well as winter resort. The cold wave which visited your part of the earth came rolling along this way with a strong northwester and when it came to the Gulf Stream, it was too much for it to take care of and it gave the Bermudians a taste of cold weather, such as they have not experienced for forty-five years, or since 1840, when the mercury went as low as 40 degrees. The average for February, this year, was 63 1-2 degrees, and, for this month thus far, 60 3-4 degrees at eight o'clock, in the morning, while for January, it averaged, 59 degrees. There are no running streams in Bermuda, consequently there is no danger of floods. The natural drainage is perfect and as the islands are semi-tropical, no fruits are left to decay, consequently there is no malaria, and there is no hay fever here, for how can you "sneeze your head off," where no hay is made? all the hay used here comes from the states. In the summer, the weather is most delightful, the mercury seldom going above 85 degrees and never above 90 degrees. As you approach the islands from the sea, they have the appearance of being all hills, indeed there are quite a number of eminences that deserve the name of "high." When you realize that nineteen square miles is estimated as the quantity of land contained in the Bermudas, you can form some idea of the "little mountains," which are very steep and almost precipitous. They are covered with a heavy growth of red cedar with English sage for the undergrowth. Everywhere, among the trees, are to be seen the pretty white stone houses. The roads are graced with maiden hair fern, cacti, and oleanders. The islands lie in the form of a crescent, the concave side to the north. There are but two channels whereby ships can enter. The channel on the north is used only by the British Government, unless in stress of weather, and then only with their consent.

The Bermudas were first discovered in 1515 by a Spanish vessel, commanded by Juan Bermudez. The scientists say that these islands formed a part of the ancient Atlantis. Shakspheare laid the scene of his "Tempest" here and the "vex'd Bermoothes" still speak (if winds and waves have speech) of the poet's keen insight. It was, in Shakspeare's time, as now, a very dangerous coast. Scarcely a year passes without chronicling a wreck. "Wreck Hill," a noted landmark, was formerly used, (let us hope long before the island was civilized) to lead vessels to their destruction by bonfires and lights, whereby the wreckers could "feather their nests." Not many weeks ago, the "hill people" saw a sight that made their blood run cold—a stately steamship, heading directly for the land, all steam on, in broad day light and the weather clear. A pilot boat is seen going out to warn her of her danger, but on she steams, paying no attention to the signals of the pilot. How can she escape the innumerable reefs that seem to rise up all about her? Nothing can save her, she must go to pieces on the treacherous rocks, jagged, seamed, and miraculously grim. But the rocks on shore wait in vain for the noble ship, the spoil belongs to the outer reefs and they claim her. She cannot resist their claim, her last "reef" is taken, and she lies in water too shallow to sink her, yet there she lies, seven or eight miles from land, waiting for the inevitable. She was the "Darlington" from New Orleans bound for Bremen, with 5240 bales of cotton and 19,000 bushels of corn. She was four years old and insured for $90,000. It is thought here she was run upon the reefs on purpose to get the insurance. She was built to carry passengers and was elegantly fitted up with piano forte and all complete. The wreckers succeeded in getting out the cotton. The captain, wife, and two small children were the only passengers on board beside the crew and they were all saved. It is said that the waves in breaking over the wreck swept across the strings of the piano and it sounded like an aeolian harp as if Aeolus, god of the winds, was handling the keys and bewailing its untimely fate.

We have had two or three hail storms, this winter, and that is the nearest these islands ever came to having snow and I think the frost they experienced in 1840 was a white frost and not a genuine "Jack Frost."

I was told by one man here that he imagined show as coming down in lumps larger than a hen's egg and if a fellow was struck by one of these "show lumps" it would hurt him.

But enough of this, my letter is already too long. I will bid you all adieu and conclude to conclude.

From your old friend,
WARD BROOKS FROTHINGHAM.

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Ex-Senator McDonald denies having a grievance against the administration, and says he has expressed no opinion as to the effects of Cleveland's policy.

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Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, especially desirable for children. A lady physician at the Child's Hospital, at Albany, N. Y., "We have been using Scott's Emulsion with great success, nearly all of our patients are suffering from bone diseases and our physicians find it very beneficial."

Amos Cummings of the New York *Sun* is spoken of as the successor of Congressman Pulitzer.

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Judge W. D. Kelley is going to write a history of the tariff, paying especial attention to its later phases.

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Mrs. Marie P. Evans, who is charged with forging the will of the late Myra Clark Gaines, lost her first husband, Duncan Lluton of Louisiana, in Paris, and then married a Mr. Evans of Philadelphia. She has the highest respect and confidence of the best people in New Orleans, who do not believe that she has been guilty of any criminality.

The proprietors of Ely's Cream Balm do not claim it to be a cure-all, but a sure remedy for Catarrh, Colds in the Head and Hay Fever. It is not a liquid or a snuff, but is easily applied with the finger. It gives relief at once. Sold by all druggists. Price 50c.

I suffered from acute inflammation in my nose and head—for a week at a time I could not see. I used Ely's Cream Balm and in a few days I was cured. It is wonderful how quick it helped me.—Mrs. Georgie S. Judson, Hartford.

Colonel P. P. G. Hall, paymaster U. S. A., is the only living descendant of William Penn in this country.

"Quinsy troubled me for twenty years. Since I started us Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, have not had an attack. The Oil cures sore throat at once." Mrs. Letta Conrad, Standish, Mich

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

BUSINESS OUTLOOK.

We are not inclined to accept the pessimistic view which some people take of the business outlook for Woburn this summer. In our judgment there is no occasion for it, but that notwithstanding the slight ripple on the usually placid surface of manufacturing and mercantile business which is stirring up matters just at the present moment, the prospect for fairly good times here the present year is bright. To be sure, quite a large number of men are now out of employment, more will probably be turned out in the course of a month, and some factories will doubtless shut down, but the stoppage of the machinery will only be temporary, and before the summer is over the wheels will be in motion again.

Perhaps the charge may be laid at the door of the JOURNAL that it is too hopeful, the prospect it sees too rosy, its hopes blind it to the actual condition of things. True, the JOURNAL is an optimist in all things, but in the matter under consideration it exercises a cool judgment based on careful study of the situation, and concludes that there is no particular occasion for mourning. It won't be long before help and proprietors will come together in a cordial way, banish their differences, make satisfactory bargains, conclude to stand by each other, and work for each other's good. We tell you, brethren, there is no call for fear, trembling or tears.

☞ Somehow or other Massachusetts can't quite see her way clear to giving the women folks the right to vote. Last week the Legislature ungallantly sat down hard on the movement in favor of female suffrage, and so the fair ones must perforce wait another year. It is very hard.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

W. E. Carter—Rink.
J. N. Dow—For Sale.
T. C. Evans—Stetson.
G. A. Bean—Real Estate.
L. L. Whitney—Ex'rs Sale.
Austin Buckman—For Sale.
John Johnson—Trustees' Sale.
Mrs. Ware—Spiritual Meeting.
Town of Woburn—Dog Notice.
F. B. Leeds—App. for License.
Amos Cummings—Dress Goods.
Pettengill & Co.—Hak-ka Cream.
James Carroll—App. for License.
A. P. Ordway & Co.—Sulphur Bitters.
Mrs. M. Jennings—Intelligence Office.
Geo. A. Loring & Co.—App. for License.
The Chas. A. Vogler Co.—St. Jacobs Oil.
J. G. Maguire, Attorney—App. for License.

— This is Good Friday.

— Stoves stored for the season by C. M. Strout.

— Read what Gov. Robinson has to say about Arbor Day.

— The finest of mixed paints all colors at C. M. Strout's.

— Dr. Dodge keeps beautiful Easter cards of many descriptions.

— Mr. Cummings's store is beautifully decorated for the Symposium.

— The Woburns captured first prize in the late brief but lively tournament.

— "New Crown" Oil Stove one of the best stoves in existance at C. M. Strout's.

— Rev. M. E. Wright has been assigned to the pastorate of the M. E. church of this village.

— Mr. Austin Buckman has a card, "For Sale," in our columns this week, to which we call attention.

— The Woburn Polo Team has lost Bolan, the main spoke in the wheel, which is to be deeply regretted.

— Burgess submits some statements to the public this week which are worthy of candid consideration.

— There will be not much less than forty licenses granted to persons to sell rum in this town by the present Board.

— Attention is called to the new card of Mr. Charles H. Barnes in this paper. His establishment is a popular one and well patronized.

— At noon last Tuesday, at Mrs. Bacon's on Pleasant street, the mercury registered 80 degrees in the shade. How's that for high?

— Senator Harlow has kindly furnished this office with copies of several bills now pending in the Senate, for which we thank him.

— Truant Officer Mulkeen will begin on the annual job of taking the school census in a few days. It requires about a month's time to do it.

— The estate of the late John Robinson is for sale, for the particulars of which call on Mr. James N. Dow, at the Town Treasurer's office.

— The Woburn Band is engaged to furnish music for Memorial Day in Wakefield. Good music is assured.—*Wakefield Bulletin.* Right you are.

— Miss Jennie H. Andrews has resumed Millinery at her home, 68 Main St. All in want of work of this description are invited to give her a trial.

— We call attention to the card of Mrs. M. Jennings in this paper. She has moved into a larger and better store, and is now doing a fine business.

— To read the *Advertiser* this week anyone would think Woburn was going to the demolition bow-wows at a 2.40 gait. Cheer up, ye venerable Mark A.

— There is a good deal of popular indignation over the defeat of Officer McSweeney for reappointment, and a petition to the Board is strongly talked of.

— C. A. Smith & Son are selling a 4 button kid glove at 58c., which is a bargain. They have also good 50c., and 1.00 kids which are just right for Easter Sunday.

— Mr. W. W. Hill has the finest lisplay of Easter souvenirs this year that he has ever exhibited. The cards everywhere are perfectly lovely this Easter.

— The annual election of officers of the Board of Trade will be held at the Board's Rooms this evening. A full attendance of members is earnestly requested.

— Who has seen and not admired the beautiful robes, caps and cloaks for infants wear, now on exhibition in the new department of A. Cummings's Dry Goods House!

— The anniversary of the Battle of Lexington was duly observed here last Monday by running the American Flag to masthead, and allowing it to float all day.

— Bear in mind, voters, that the adjourned Town Meeting will be held in Lyceum Hall next Tuesday evening. Matters of importance are to be passed upon at that time.

— The symposium which, during the last four weeks, we have taken so much pains to bring to the attention of the ladies, opened yesterday and will close this afternoon.

— W. C. Kenney, J. F. O'Neil and T. D. Hevey are members of the general committee of the Kettledrum to be given in Boston on April 28 in aid of the Working Boys Home.

— The new store and extensive stock is captivating and Cummings is having a real boom in trade. Well he may! The public appreciate a good thing and he's the man to find it out.

— Forester Simonds and Clerk Hill with some good workmen have put the Common into nice trim this week. The grass on it is thick and green, and the walks are as clean as can be.

— We have had a plenty of real summer weather this week. But for a fresh cool eastern wind a part of the time the weather for the last few days might well be called paradisiacal.

— It is said that a great many of the fashionable ladies of the town are busy preparing costumes for the grand carnival to be held at Carter's Skating Academy next Wednesday evening.

— Charlie Buckley came out with the street sprinkler last Tuesday and wet the roads down nicely. It wasn't a minute too soon for the convenience, comfort and personal cleanliness of the people.

— If people would not have their horses smash things by becoming frightened at the water-cart they must hitch them. Charlie Buckley won't be responsible, and says folks must hitch their horses.

— Last week the new Board of Cemetery Commissioners organized by the choice of Judge P. L. Converse, Chairman; John Ferguson, Clerk; L. L. Whitney, Superintendent. These are all good officers.

— The assortment of black goods which can be found at C. A. Smith & Son's is as large and varied as they have ever offered and our ladies can be suited in quality style and price if they will examine these goods.

— The other day L. L. Whitney, Esq., received from Gov. Robinson his fifth commission as Justice of the Peace. There are but very few, if any, in this town who have held the office as long as Mr. Whitney has.

— Mr. Mark Allen, the venerable editor of the *Advertiser*, was unanimously elected one of the vice-presidents of the Suburban Press Association last week. The honor was well deserved, and will be modestly worn, no doubt.

— The last *Sunday Herald* in its "Sketching trips of local artists" said: "Albert Thompson, the cattle and landscape painter, will make studies at Woburn and other places in that vicinity before going farther into the country."

— The name of the establishment has been changed from Ronco & Ward to David Ronco, which latter gentleman still does business at the old stand, and don't you forget it. For shaving, haircutting and dressing David takes the cake.

— W. V. Kellen, Esq., and lady entertained in a royal manner the Mishawum Club of this place with wives and sweet-hearts at their pleasant residence at Jamaica Plain, last Saturday evening. Mr. Kellen is an honored member of the Club.

— Posts 33 and 161, G. A. R., have petitioned the Department Headquarters for the appointment of an Executive Council of G. A. R. for the Department of Massachusetts. Petitions have been sent in by a large number of other Posts.

— Mr. Charles F. Spear, son of Mr. Charles Spear, a student in the office of an eminent law firm in the city, has been appointed and commissioned a Justice of the Peace by Gov. Robinson. Which entitles him to have "Esq." added to his address.

— By one of those miscalculations to which even the best regulated families are sometimes liable we are compelled to omit "Our Dumb Friends" this week. We are sorry to disappoint the young people, and will try very, very hard not to do so again.

— Miss Laura E. Mace, a graduate of the Boston University School of Oratory, has several pupils in elocution in this place with whom she is doing good work. She has taught successfully in Boston, Lowell, and has recently had classes at Stoneham.

— Lightfoot's subscription concert will be given in Lyceum Hall on Thursday evening, May 6th, to procure funds with which to build a colored church in this town. It will be given by the best colored musical talent in this country, and no doubt prove a strong attraction.

— Mr. Amos Cummings has recently engaged as a salesman Mr. Thomas Dalton of London, England, a young man who thoroughly understands the business, having had ample training in it, and is well adapted to it. We think Mr. Cummings's customers will find Mr. Dalton a gentleman.

— The firm of Baeder, Adams & Co., glue manufacturers, who employ about 100 men, have accepted the proposition of the Assembly of the Knight of Labor, for an advance of wages, agreeing to pay the sums asked and take usual means to keep the men at work. The increase amounts to about 10 per cent.

— Fine dress buttons have taken an unusual tumble in prices at Amos Cummings's Dry Goods Store; 42c., 50c., 62c., and 75c. buttons are marked down to 25 cts. They are all modern styles and very desirable. Ladies in want of real nice goods, at less than half price, must see these elegant buttons. They are surprisingly low.

— At the annual May Party on May 4th the beautiful Bell Dance taught by Mrs. Buffum of Chelsea will be executed by 20 children. Also the Mother Goose Quadrille by 8 young ladies in Costume. Each of these beautiful dances given for the first time in Woburn will be repeated before intermission making a charming attraction to visitors.

— Rev. H. A. Westall gave a very interesting descriptive address of his late visit to Georgia at the Unitarian church last Sunday evening. It was listened to by a large and choice audience, who were highly pleased and much instructed. Mr. Westall possesses good descriptive talents and in the exercise of them never fails to give something fresh and entertaining.

— Riding up town in Boston in a street car last Saturday Dr. Frank Graves arose fom his seat to give it to a feeble old lady just as the car was making the sharp turn, at good speed, into Washington street, and losing his balance his hand was thrust through a window and the left wrist very badly cut. He drove to a surgeon's office and had it dressed, and although sore, the ugly wound is doing well.

— Rev. N. B. Fisk, for the last three years pastor of the M. E. church in this village, has been assigned to the Cottage street M. E. church at Cambridge by the conference of the North Boston District held at Newburyport this week. It is an important church to which Mr. Fisk has been sent, the work of which for the new pastor will be increased by the building of a large church edifice to be begun this season.

— The chap who attempted to swing himself on to a north-bound train at Church Avenue last Wednesday evening and didn't make the connections until he passed Pleasant street, where his struggling hoofs knocked a section out of the cross track-fence on the upper side of the street, probably will not undertake that feat again right away. Any person who will try such a trick must have a train a good deal "out of wind."

— The re-election of Mr. F. B. Leeds Milk and Vinegar Inspector was a fitting thing to do, because he has discharged the duties of the office in the very best manner during the past year. But to make his salary cover all expenses was a big error of the Board for these foot up. by exercise of the strictest economy, to very nearly, or quite, the sum voted to be paid him. When they get all the facts the Board will probably reconsider that part of their vote.

— On next Wednesday evening the Edith Stanmore Dramatic Company will appear again in Lyceum Hall. They played to a good house last week Wednesday evening and gave an entertainment that was highly enjoyed by all present. The Company is composed of first class dramatic talent, every part being admirably filled, and the play to be given is a highly popular one. We have no doubt another full house will greet the Company next Wednesday evening.

— The St. Charles T. A. S. will give their tenth annual ball in Lyceum Hall on next Monday evening for which excellent music has been secured and arrangements made. The reception committee are: B. A. McFeeley, P. H. Matthews, J. A. McFeeley, Thomas D. Hevey; Floor committee—Director, M. J. McMahon; assistant, J. A. O'Donnell; aids, E. McDonald, M. O'Connell, Jr., C. A. Bradley, M. E. Maguire, E. Haggerty, J. R. Manning, D.F. Doherty, J. F. McGovern, T. H. Dolan, J. Mahoney.

— To-morrow evening the Woburns and Walthams try titles at Carter's Academy. It will be the opening game in the Union League series, and it is safe to say everybody will be there to see it. On next Monday evening the Rink Managers Team will play a grand game of polo at Carter's, and there will be fun alive. Our Carter will be first rush for Team No. 1, and won't he amplify the office though? It will be a big treat to see these twelve managers go it. There will be some sore shins lying around loose Tuesday morning.

— The Ladies' Soldiers' Aid Society celebrated the anniversary of the Battle of Lexington last Monday evening in G. A. R. Hall by a very pleasant and well attended entertainment and supper. The supper which was a real nice one and very much enjoyed, was provided by members of the Society. There were several fine tableaux given; a song by Mrs. Lyman and one by Mr. George Deane; and excellent reading by Mrs. Allen Robie. The agreeable and patriotic occasion was participated in by both Posts and the ladies of the members by whom the pleasures of the occasion were prolonged to quite a late hour.

— Arrangements have been made for special Easter services at the Congregational church next Sunday. Mr. Buck has made provision for good music appropriate to the day in generous abundance and the Scripture readings and sermon by the pastor will have particular reference to the day of gladness. In the evening the Sunday School, under the direction of Superintendent Pollard and Assistant Superintendent Thompson, will give an Easter concert, at which classes of children trained for the occasion will sing Easter songs, and there will also be large chorus choir in the singing-seats under the direction of Mr. Buck, the organist. It is expected that the exercises will be very interesting.

— The last meeting of the Woman's Club was held in the vestry of the Baptist Church, April 16. Dr. Emma Culbertson not being able to fulfil her engagement her place was taken by Miss Alice Palmer, whose subject was "Industrial Education." Miss Palmer gave an account of the progress of the new education in Boston. She spoke not only of what was being done, but of what promised to be done in the near future. During the discussion that followed the lecture a lady from Winchester spoke briefly concerning her connection with the Industrial School there. The next meeting will be held in the vestry of the Congregational Church, Friday, May 7. Mrs. Neymann will speak on "Our Business Women."

— In the election of Mr. Nelson Chief of the Woburn police for another year the Board of Selectmen did the right and proper thing last Tuesday evening. At divers and sundry times during the last twelvemonth the JOURNAL has taken occasion to commend Chief Nelson for the ability, honesty and impartiality with which he discharged the difficult and disagreeable duties of his office and we have yet to see any reason for changing our opinion of his efficiency as an officer of the law. Considering all things Mr. Nelson's election was a surprise; but there are some sensible men on the Board and they, for a wonder, carried the day. Chairman Reade and Johnson voted square against the Chief; Clerk Hill voted for him; and he had some good workers in Kenney, Ferguson and Beggs. We hope Chief Nelson will go for them this year.

— The testimonial concert given to and directed by Mrs. Emma N. Gray in the auditorium of the Methodist church last Tuesday evening drew a large attendance of very nice people. It gave great satisfaction to everyone present, and although the programme was a long one there was no sign of weariness or restlessness on the part of any of the spectators. In fact, as an entertainment it was a gratifying success for which thanks were due and accorded to Mrs. Gray. Where every one of the twenty-three numbers was so admirably rendered to make selections for particular commendation would be difficult and unfair, and we would only remark in passing that Master Frank Bryant, who took the place of Master Cook, did splendidly on the harmonica and bells, and the duet by Birdie and Freddie Lamb received great praise. The truth is there was not an uninteresting number on the programme, and with each the audience were delighted.

— A certain element in town, whose opposition is better than their good will, have been trying for some years to get Officer Bryan McSweeney off the force, and last Tuesday evening they succeeded. The trouble with this efficient and faithful officer has been that he did his duty without fear or favor, and couldn't be bought up by rum, money or promise of preferment. He has ever since he went on the force some six years ago been a terror to evil-doers who combined for his removal and had sufficient influence with the Board to accomplish their purpose. It is an indisputable fact that McSweeney has made one of the very best police officers that Woburn ever had, and the Board made a great mistake when they refused to re-elect him. They should not have yielded to the clamor of the hoodlums; but then that class have votes to dispose of about election time, which accounts for the milk in that cocoanut. Good citizens regret that this faithful and long-tried officer was rejected by the Board.

— Last Tuesday members of the Boston Water Board, the special legislative committee on Boston's water supply, and several members of the Boston City government, to the number of twenty-five in all, made an official trip to and inspection of Shawsheen River, and dined at the Central House at 1 o'clock en route. The party took carriages at Winchester and drove up here after inspecting the ponds below and their feeders, and when dinner was over proceeded to the Shawsheen, from which it is proposed, if the pending bill passes, to take water for the city's use. Mr. G. L. Cobb, landlord of the Central House, and his lady provided a very fine dinner for the party, consisting of all the substantials and delicacies of the season with such et ceteras as Boards and legislative committees have a tooth for when out on official trips. The Boston officials and gentlemen of Beacon Hill expressed themselves warmly in praise of the repast provided for them, and left about 2.30 p. m., to pursue their investigations further north, a very happy and satisfied party. By invitation the Water Registrar of Woburn, Thomas H. Hill, dined with the Boston gentlemen.

— We suppose it can be said with all candor and truth that by far the greatest social event that ever was given in Carter's Skating Academy, barring always the Railroad Jubilee, will be the Grand Costume Carnival to be given on next Wednesday evening, April 28. In saying this we speak advisedly, with a full knowledge of the facts of the preparations going on for it, and the spirit and enterprise that are being put into it. If that immense rink is not packed from sill to collar-beam with ladies and gentlemen, dressed in every conceivable costume that genius can invent—rich, rare and beautiful, as well as unique, grotesque, surprisingly odd—then we miss our guess by several sled-lengths. It will be a sight to behold—a grand and brilliant spectacle—and to those engaged in it a perfect delight. And then just think of the rich and beautiful prizes offered by the generosity of Mr. Carter! Could anything be more liberal? They can be studied in our advertising columns, and seen at the drug store of Mr. C. H. Buss. But our "Eagle Academic, Soft Medium" is totally inadequate to a full description of this grand affair, and we drop the task assuring our readers that it is to be one that can easier be imagined than described.

— A few years ago the idea prevailed that a respectable carpet trade could not be worked up in Woburn on account of the short distance to Boston and facilities for getting there. Merchants were afraid to take hold of the business because they believed our people could never be educated into the habit of buying at home no matter what inducements might be held out for them to do so. It was so handy, said the merchants, for Woburn folks to run into the city for their carpets, and there were such great stocks and varieties to select from, that it would be useless to try to build up a trade in them here. About three years ago Messrs. Charles A. Smith & Son took the matter into serious consideration and after due deliberation concluded to open carpet rooms in their large, handsome store, and fill them with the best and latest things in the market. They bought at prices which enabled them to successfully compete with their Boston neighbors, and some lines of goods they sold at less than Boston prices. It required only a few months to demonstrate the fallacy of the old idea, for the Messrs. Smith in that time secured a handsome trade in all kinds of carpets which has steadily increased ever since. They

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sell every grade and style of floor covering as cheap as any of the Boston houses, take measures and make up the carpets promptly and to the entire satisfaction of their numerous customers, use everybody well, and the result is they have in this way virtually broken up the habit of our people going into the city for their carpets and retain the trade at home. Five years ago hardly a merchant on the street believed this could be done, and the Smith's were dubious about the venture; but they went ahead; brought to their store what the people wanted; sold cheap; and have revolutionized the carpet trade in this town. There is a lesson in their enterprise and success.

Board of Selectmen.

The Board of Selectmen met in their rooms last Tuesday evening with all the members present. Mr. Lawrence Reade in the Chair, and T. H. Hill at the Clerk's desk.

Petition of Patrick Curran for lateral support to his line fence referred to committee on Highways.——Petition of citizens of No. Woburn for appropriation of $300 for pay of one regular policeman referred to committee on Police.——The Knights of Labor were granted the use of the Selectmen's rooms for evening of April 30, and the Charitable Society of the Unitarian church for the evening of May 4.——The applications of F. C. Taylor and Alice Cogan for pool and sippio tables referred to Committee on Police.——The report of Clerk Hill on licenses was referred to the same committee to be acted on at a special meeting to be held on the evening of April 28.——Applications for licenses to sell intoxicating drinks, etc. were received from several persons, which the Clerk was authorized to have published. (Names may be found in our advertising columns.)

The following Engineers of the Fire Department were chosen: Clerence Littlefield, John H. Devlin, John Breslin, Charles W. Ames, Philip McKenna.——Dr. James A. Conway was elected Town Physician at a salary of $400.

Committee on Police reported inability to agree on the appointment of Chief of Police. They nominated the following for policemen: Michael Walsh, John A. Walsh, Thomas Mulkeen, Patrick J. Claffy, William Breslin, E. Fountain. Mr. John Ferguson submitted a minority report recommending Bryan McSweeney.

An informal ballot was taken for Chief of Police which resulted in six for Wilmont D. Nelson, and two for all others. This was made formal by a vote 7 to 2, and Mr. Nelson was declared Chief. Yeas: Beggs, Doherty, Golden, Hill, Kenney, McDonald, Ferguson. Nays: Reed, Johnson.

The following were chosen regular officers: Michael Walsh, Clarence H. Kean, Thomas Mulkeen, John A. Walsh, John H. McGee, John O'Brian.——Special officers: John Connolly, Charles H. Neville, Denis Doherty, John Maguire, Owen Kerrigan, John Quigley, Thomas Ryan, Patrick J. Claffy, William Breslin, Edward Simonds.

The following were appointed: Surveyors of Wood and Bark, A. S. Wood, D. W. Brown, J. P. Delaney, E. F. Cassidy, John Johnson, E. D. Newton. Measurers of upper leather, Marcus Eaton, J. O. Cummings, Otis Bacon, A. B. Wyman, P. L. Eaton, F. C. Parker, A. Eaton, Henry Taylor, S. Skelton, O. French, A. T. Nichols, J. P. Jayne, F. J. Hewitt, W. H. Bowers, T. G. Beggs, P. H. Murphy. Sealer of Weights and Measures, etc., M. S. Sealey. Public Weighers, G. F. Jones, J. A. Ham, Milton Moore, M. Downs, B. C. Golden, O. M. Wade, G. E. P. Morgan, C. Cook, J. H. Ropes, J. H. Pearson, H. C. Boynton, F. L. Perry, E. D. Newton, H. C. Hall., Measurers of Mason Work, G. F. Hartshorne, Patrick Farrie.

The following special policemen without pay were appointed: P. Curran, J. G. McDearmid, J. C. Knights, D. T. Strange, N. W. Brown, J. S. Hennessey, F. E. Soles, Amos Richardson, N. Simonds, J. W. Waters, Tho's Quinn, John Doherty, J. Little, B. McGowan, B. B. Brown, E. K. Willoughby, N. J. DeLorica, C. W. Dorr, John E. Russell, M. Flinn, W. A. Colgate, C. R. French.

Arbor Day Appointed.

Gov. Robinson Tuesday issued the following proclamation:

"In compliance with the request expressed in a resolve adopted by the General Court at the present session, I do hereby set apart Saturday, the twenty-fourth day of April now current, as Arbor day, and I do earnestly recommend that the people of this commonwealth observe it in such a manner as shall best advance the interests and purposes that prompt its establishment.

"Around home and school and church, by lane and road and street, in soil sanctified by tender memories or heroic sacrifice, plant tree and shrub and vine and flower. Occupy the waste lands with forest culture. Everywhere in harmony with the spirit of the occasion, increase the resources of the commonwealth in the productions that contribute so abundantly to the comfort, improvement, health and general advantage of the people."

Board of Trade Celebration.

The Woburn Board of Trade celebrated the first anniversary of its organization on last Tuesday evening in Armory Hall, and like everything else it has taken hold of the celebration was a complete success. It was beyond doubt the first in a series of many such agreeable affairs, for the Board of Trade has come to stay and will of course at the close of each year of its existence mark the event with a white stone and eat and drink and be happy over its accomplishments of the preceeding twelvemonth. Long after all the present members and the worthy dames and fair maidens who so highly enjoyed the celebration last Tuesday evening are laid away and are at rest their successors will continue to keep the anniversaries and observe them in due form and spirit.

A large company assembled at the hall at an early hour in the evening, and in the neighborhood of 8 o'clock the exercises began. The number of ladies present was gratifying. They contributed largely to the pleasures of the occasion—indeed, deprived of their genial presence the affair might have been stale, flat and unprofitable. There were faces of some old and prominent members conspicuous by their absence, and the reporter could not but think to himself how much pleasure these people have permitted themselves to be deprived of by some trival and perhaps unworthy consideration.

The very competent committee who had had the preparations for the celebration in hand for some weeks wisely concluded to make it eminently a social affair, and they succeeded beyond the expectations of the most sanguine. Everything was happily arranged by them, and with the hearty co-operation of the Board it passed off without a single *faux pas*, the slightest jar, or the least friction. It was modest too—nothing lavishly ornate or out of keeping—just a social gathering of members of the Board with their ladies and friends—and as such nothing pleasanter or better could have been asked.

There was a collation and a good one, with ices and those other concomitants which usually accompany a well regulated spread, and if one might be allowed to make up his verdict from the complimentary words and satisfied looks of the guests, it was highly enjoyed. As it was known that many of the worthy matrons present had had a hand in providing the rich cake and other palatable edibles of course they were keenly relished by the gallant gentlemen around the banquet boards. The English Quartette furnished very fine vocal music, and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lewis contributed to the pleasure of the evening by executing several classical productions on the piano. They are all artists of honorable rank. The reading by Mr. E. K. Hood was excellent, and no exercise of the evening was more highly enjoyed. He is a humorist of the first water.

President James Skinner presided. It is needless to state that the Chair was worthily filled, for Mr. Skinner has been before the public too many times in that capacity for any one not to know his eminent fitness for it. He gave a concise and graphic history of the Board's work during the first year of its existence, warmly complimented his associates, expressed entire confidence in the stability and utility of the Board, and made a very favorable impression on the attentive listeners by his good words and pleasant manners.

Hon. B. F. Whittemore made an address in which he gave the history, progress and present standing of the Sun Electric Company, which is a child of the Board of Trade, and of which he is the Treasurer. He always makes a good speech on any subject that he may have in hand. Mr. Whittemore was followed by Rev. H. A. Westall, who, as usual, made a speech that was listened to with attention and pleasure. He has identified himself thoroughly with the interests of Woburn and enters heartily into any enterprises calculated to promote them. Rev. Lawrence J. Slattery, of St. Charles church, made a very fine address. He is one of the most talented young men we have among us—educated, highly cultured—a natural, graceful and very interesting speaker—and he did himself full justice in his address at the banquet. There were remarks by other gentlemen, all good and appropriate to the festive occasion.

At a seasonable hour the party broke up and all repaired to their respective homes highly pleased with the celebration.

Stetson's Shoe Store.

To our readers who buy their foot wear in Boston, we would recommend the Shoe Store of Mr. Stetson as a most excellent place to buy all kinds of Boots or Shoes of a perfectly reliable quality, at prices that cannot fail to be satisfactory. Any lady or gentlemen for from 2 to 3 dollars a pair can purchase from Mr. Stetson a boot or shoe that will give complete wear in every respect. His stock is large and well adapted to suit those who want a good article at a medium price. Stetson's Old Established Stand, 158 Hanover Street, right off the corner of Blackstone.

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HOSIERY for Ladies, Gentlemen, Misses, Boys and Girls.

Special Bargains at 12½ cents and 25 cents.

One lot of GENT'S HOSE direct from the factory in Hallowell, Me., at 12½ cents. Please call and examine these Hose.

SHAW KNIT HOSE, 25 cents.

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Hosiery, Hosiery, Hosiery at

F. S. BURGESS'S,

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LEWANDO'S FRENCH DYE HOUSE,

BOSTON, MASS.

All goods for the Dye House should be brought in by Tuesday evening.

Obituary.

[From the Boston Home Journal.]

Mrs. Mary Richardson, widow of Luther Holden, died at the residence of her son, Luther L. Holden, 2 Alfred street, Jamaica Plain, April 14, at the advanced age of 80 years, 9 months and 7 days. Mrs. Holden was born in Woburn, and resided there through most of her life. During her later years she has made her home with her son Luther. She had lived a long and a beautiful life. Her purity and goodness of heart, her untiring endeavors to promote the happiness of those who were dear to her, and earnest and unselfish labors in behalf of the sick and suffering, endeared her to a wide circle. Eminently domestic in her tastes, genial and sunny in disposition, unassuming and gentle in all her ways, self-sacrificing and patient, she lived a life which shone forth in refulgent beauty at the approach of death. Resigned and uncomplaining, and with a perfect faith in the wisdom and goodness of the Creator, which taught her to "be not afraid," she passed to her last rest calmly and peacefully, the end being a fitting close to a well-spent and perfectly rounded life. The funeral services took place yesterday at her son's residence, Rev. Mr. Dole officating, and the body was taken to Woburn for interment beside that of her husband, whom she survived some 21 years. She leaves two sons, Mr. Stoughton B. Holden, of Woburn, and Mr. Luther L. Holden, whose name is so familiar to the readers of the *Boston Home Journal*.

The No. Woburn Street Railway.

It was announced in these columns last week that the No. Woburn Street Railway Company had been given leave to withdraw on their petition for amendment of charter. This was true, but that was not the end of it. Realizing the importance of the matter Senator Harlow took it in hand and had the petition sent back to the committee with instructions to advertise and give all parties interested an opportunity to be heard, and report a bill, if proper.

Thus through Senator Harlow's care and good work an enterprise that seemed last week to be most effectually knocked in the head was afterwards revived and bids fair to become a success. There was no known opposition to granting the prayer of the petitioners, but in presenting it they had not brought themselves within the rules of the Senate and seemed to be cut off on the score of lapse of time for notifying for a hearing. The obstacle has been overcome, and if no parties appear to object a bill will be reported and an amendment of the Company's charter granted.

Be Careful!

No matter what disease you may have. Be sure that the medicine you take is reliable. Such a medicine you will always find Sulphur Bitters. They are not a cheap rum drink, but are made of the choicest roots and herbs to be found in the vegetable kingdom.—*Daily Argus.*

Card of Thanks.

The Ladies' Soldiers Aid Society take this method to return their sincere thanks to all those who so kindly and materially aided them in arranging and carrying through their entertainment in G. A. R. Hall last Monday evening.—Per Order.

Rheumatism

It is an established fact **that Hood's Sarsaparilla has proven an invaluable remedy in many severe cases of rheumatism, effecting remarkable cures by its powerful action in correcting the acidity of the blood, which is the cause of the disease, and purifying and enriching the vital fluid.**

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"I suffered from what the doctors called muscular rheumatism. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and am entirely cured." J. V. A. PROUDFOOT, letter carrier, Chicago, Ill.

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North Woburn.

Mrs. Ware of Boston will lecture on spiritualism in the Chapel next Sunday at 2.30 o'clock P. M.

I don't think the allotment of the Police force is quite fair to this part of the town, but better than nothing. We ought to have one regular police with full pay.

Since the disappointment in not getting a member of the Board of Selectmen here the talk of separation from the rest of the town has been revived in some quarters, although nowheres is the talk in that line very strong. What we need most and will have in good time is to become a ward in the City of Woburn. With a city government for the town and this village a ward in it everything would be lovely and entirely satisfactory.

Your system is now more susceptible to the benefits of a reliable medicine than at any other season. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

UNITARIAN.—Easter Services at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School Concert at 7 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. Sunday School Easter Concert in the Church. Easter music by large Chorus and Choir at 7 p. m. Preparatory Lecture Wednesday evening. Prayer meeting Friday evening.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school at 12 m.; Young peoples meeting at 6 p. m.; Easter Concert by the Sunday school at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Church Covenant meeting on Friday evening.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL.—Service, Sermon and Holy Communion at 10.30 a. m.; Children's Easter service at 3 p. m.; Service and sermon at 7 p. m. Monday at 7.30 p. m., annual parish meeting. Tuesday at 7.30 a. m., Prayers in the Chapel.

The Scandinavian Evangelical Society, Y. M. C. Rooms Sunday, preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 m. Praise meeting at 6.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Bible Reading, Friday at 7.30 p. m. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise meeting at 4 o'clock. Boys' meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30. Scandinavian services Sunday at 10.30, Wednesday evening at 7.30. Reading Room open daily from 2 to 5 p. m., and from 6.30 to 9.30 p. m., Wednesday excepted. Boys' Branch at 7.45 p. m., on Tuesdays. Sunday 9 a. m. Prayer meeting.

Danish Evang. Lutheran (St. Peters) Society, 218 Main street. Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m., praise meeting. Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock, preaching by Rev. V. A. M. Mortensen, pastor.

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In Woburn, April 21, by Rev. Daniel March, Fernando L. Waterman and Emma B. Brauer, both of Woburn.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, April 17, Charles H. McDearmid, aged 12 years, 7 months, 10 days.

In Woburn, April 22, Dea. Benjamin Millet, aged 76 years, 9 months. Funeral from Baptist church, Sunday, at 2.30 P. M.

In Lynn, April 8, Mr. James M. Challis, formerly of Woburn, aged 67 years, 11 months.

In Lynn, April 12, Richard R., infant son of Mrs. and Mrs. M. J. Kenworthy, aged 11 months, 8 days.

In Taunton Asylum, April 19, Thomas A. Henshaw of Woburn, aged 57 years, 10 months, 13 days.

In Agusta, Georgia, on the 9th instant, Mr. Charles Thomas Rich, in the 82d year of his age. Formerly of Boston.

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WINCHESTER.

The wife of the Unitarian pastor has been made a Life Member of the Childrens' Mission by the S. S. of that church.

There seems to be considerable mystery concerning the whereabouts of Mr. Garcelon, the candidate of Gen. Corse for our postoffice.

Mr. J. F. Holland is a member of the general committee on the Kettledrum to be given in aid of the Working Boys' Home in Boston on April 28.

Our R. R. Station has been moved back to make room for two additional tracks to Boston, and is now being put into a greatly improved condition. It will be nice when completed.

The trouble about selecting a site for the new Town House is that too many want to make money out of a sale of property. The Skillings offer seems to be the most favorable one made to the town.

Mr. D. O. Blanchard, a member of the new Board of Selectmen, was a few years ago a respected citizen of Woburn. He is a clean and intelligent gentleman and will make a capable town officer.

At 10 o'clock last Tuesday evening when your reporter left the Town Meeting the biggest kind of a wrangle was in progress, and for ought I knew continued till morning. The meeting was adjourned two weeks.

It is given out that Miss Florence A. Bacon, daughter of Mr. Charles N. Bacon, and Mr. Edward W. Hill of Medford will be joined in the holy bonds of matrimony on April 29th, in the Unitarian Church at Arlington.

There is no doubt but that Gen. Corse is now in Washington trying to get the Boston postoffice for himself. He has been living at the Berkeley in the city this winter and now pretends he is a Boston man. But he can't come within 40 rows of apple-trees of getting it.

In conformity with the proclamation of Gov. Robinson to-morrow, Saturday will be duly observed as Arbor Day in this town. Teachers and pupils of our schools will plant class trees, and others will take a hand in the good work. It is expected that a large number of trees, shrubs, etc., will be set out to-morrow if the weather proves favorable.

Mr. Brine says that if the choice of postmaster was left to the people of the town Dr. Brown would receive a very large share of the votes, on the ground that he has served the public honestly and faithfully. Considering the snarl which the Democrats have got into over the subject it would be money in their pockets to let Dr. Brown remain as a first rate compromise.

Last Wednesday a member of the State Horticultural Society said in the hearing of your reporter, while viewing and greatly enjoying the grand floral exhibition in Horticultural Hall, Boston: "The Twomblys have beaten our Society's best efforts at flower display all out and out." About the same time a gentleman from London said: "This exhibition equals any of the very best I ever saw in England." Pretty high praise, but the Twomblys will stand it for they are modest men.

The following programme has been arranged for Easter Sunday (April 25) at the Congregational church. The music is expected to be very fine:

Organ Vol.—"March," Smart.
Doxology,
Invocation,
Anthem, (Chorus)—Christ Our Passover, Chandler.
Responsive Reading,
Tenor Solo—"Resurrection," Holden.
Mr. W. W. Holt.
Scripture Reading,
Trio, "Easter Bells." King.
Prayer,
Response, from "Masse Sonnelle" Gounod.
Sermon,
Easter Carol (Quartette), Preston.
Prayer.
Hymn
Benediction,
Organ Postlude from "Athalia" Mendelssohn.

All is not serene in the postoffice business here. There is a hitch, and Mr. Garcelon is not anywhere's near sure of succeeding Mr. Brown. A large majority of the Democrats of the town were opposed to the appointment of Mr. Garcelon, but some of the politicians got the President's ear first and their wishes were disregarded. The matter still hangs fire at the Postoffice Department, and a certain Congressman said, the other day, that the wishes of the Winchester Democracy ought to be respected, in which case another man would be appointed. There is a triangular and perhaps quadrangular fight over this and other spoils between Gen. Corse, Brine, Lovering and Collins, and I should not be surprised if Mr. Garcelon should fail to get his commission.

BURLINGTON.

Mr. Charles Walker raised his flag in honor of the nineteenth of April.

Mr. Arthur W. Wood and Miss May E. Fuller were married in Littleton, April 10. They have the congratulations of their friends in Burlington.

There is to be a special town meeting next Monday evening, at seven o'clock, to transact business relating to the repairing or rebuilding of the North school house.

The Sunday school will give an Easter concert, at the church, next Sunday evening at half past seven o'clock. An interesting exercise is now in preparation.

Japanese Letters.

Boston Globe: "A reader of the *Globe* named Talbot sent me a box of 'Hak-ka' for Hay Fever. I have had seven years of sneezing, coughing, swearing, and this August it began more virulent than ever. I used Talbot's 'Hak-ka' three times, and although the fever was at the high tide of successful demoralization, I haven't sneezed but twice since, and that was two days ago. I don't know Talbot, I never saw Talbot; but he ought to become a millionnaire in one season." HOWARD.

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LITERARY NOTICES.

PETERSON'S MAGAZINE for May is a fresh spring number which will be cordially welcomed by the ladies for its abundance of fashion plates and notes giving all the latest styles in dress and headwear, and designs for fancy work. The number also contains stores, sketches and poetry of high literary merit, some of the articles being profusely and finely illustrated. Address Charles L. Peterson, Philadelphia.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for May is in every way a strong Number. The frontispiece is an engraving by Closson from Faith, a painting by E. Armitage, R. A., one of the illustrations for an article by William H. Ingersoll, entitled Portraits of our Saviour—a beautifully illustrated paper on a subject especially interesting to the Christian reader and to the art-student. Besides this there are 65 other illustrations, making one of the most pictorially attractive magazines published. Its literary contents are in keeping with the art merits being composed of admirable papers on fresh subjects, in great variety of theme, and by the most popular authors.

*** Harper's is kept for sale at the Old Woburn Bookstore, S. Horton, proprietor, and by the New England News Company.

The current number of THE NEW ENGLAND MAGAZINE, a valuable and popular monthly, comes to us richly laden with choice reading, largely of a historical character, and many illustrations. The excellent series of articles on New England towns is continued with an exceedingly interesting sketch of Andover, written by a prominent clergyman of that town, and well illustrated. A paper on James Otis, Jr. is valuable from a historical standpoint, and the portrait of this eminent orator of the Revolution, which is the frontispiece to the magazine is admirable. An article on the Webster family is valuable as being written by a personal friend of Daniel Webster, and an officer of the Webster Historical Society. Accompanying the article is a quaint portrait of the great statesman. Another interesting portrait is of Rev. Thomas Prince, which appears with a very readable article on the famous Prince Library, now a part of the Boston Public Library. There are two charming essays relating to New England characteristics, early customs, etc., both by lady writers. For fiction there appears the first instalment of "A Romance of King Philip's War," from the pen of a well known lady, the daughter of a famous Massachusetts Governor. There are also a couple of poems, and this truly excellent number of the New England is completed with able editorials and carefully prepared historical records, necrology, etc.—Bay State Monthly Co., 43 Milk Street, Boston, $3.00 a year.

In the United States Senate, during a recent debate, Senator Vest of Missouri, paid a high tribute to the merits of St. Jacobs Oil. Other prominent men have also found it prompt in its cure of rheumatism and neuralgia. Price, fifty cents a bottle.

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Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes that GEORGE A. LORING & Co. has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as an apothecary of the fourth class, at store situated on Main street, near the corner of Union street in said Woburn, in first floor of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JAMES J. CARROLL, has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as an inn-holder of the first class, at Urban building, so-called, at junction of Main street with Union street, in said Woburn, in second and third stories and stock in cellar of said building. Entrance at number 225 on Main street and also on Union street.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that MICHAEL FRENEY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class, at dwelling-house occupied by him on southerly side of Rag Rock Avenue in said Woburn, in one room on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded northerly by Rag Rock Avenue; southerly by land now or late of Stephen Dow; westerly by land of Mary McLaughlin and easterly by land of Grace McDevitt.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JAMES FITZPATRICK has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class, in front room on first floor and stock in cellar on westerly side of double dwelling-house owned by applicant situated on southerly side of John street, so-called, in said Woburn. The land on which said building stands is bound northerly by John street; southerly by land of John Ahearn; westerly by land of Michael Maguire and Patrick Kerrigan, and easterly by land of Richardson and Parker.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JOHN SHINKWIN has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class, at store in Cooper building on easterly side of Winn street, in said Woburn, in first floor of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded westerly by Winn street; northerly by land of John McDonough; easterly by land of Alva Woods, and southerly by other land of said Cooper.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that WILLIAM MCDONOUGH has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at Nos. 165 and 165½ Montvale Avenue, in Richardson building, so-called, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded northerly by Montvale Avenue; southerly by land of Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation; easterly and westerly by land of Albert L. Richardson.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JOHN MALONEY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a grocer of the fourth class, at No. 247 Main street, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that GEORGE H. GAY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a wholesaler of the fourth class, at No. 240 Main street, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that RICHARD REYNOLDS has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at No. 1 Main street, corner of Cross street, in said Woburn, in one room on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that MICHAEL CLANCY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a grocer of the fourth class, at store in Munroe building, so-called, on northerly side of Fowle street and next easterly of the Boston & Lowell Railroad Depot on said street, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that TERRENCE T. SWEENEY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, in two rooms, first floor and stock in cellar of the Ferrin building, so-called, on northerly side of Fowle street, in said Woburn. Said building stands on land bounded southerly by Fowle street; easterly by land of Maria Ferrin; northerly by land of Theophilus King, Jr., and westerly by other land of Albert A. Ferrin.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that MICHAEL BOYLE has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a wholesaler of the fourth class, at his dwelling-house at the intersection of Grape street with Washington street in the easterly part of said Woburn, with entrance on Washington street, in one front room on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. Said building stands on land bounded northerly by Grape street; easterly by Washington street; southerly by land of Owen Kerrigan, and westerly by land of Thompson.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that BERNARD MCHUGH has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at store No. 72 Main street, in McHugh building, so-called, in said Woburn, in first floor of said building. Said building stands on land bounded easterly by Main street, and on all other sides by land of Rose Dunn.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that PATRICK BURNS, has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at No. 16 on Main street, in said Woburn, in basement and stock in cellar in rear of said basement. The land on which said building stands is bounded easterly by Main street; northerly by land of Joseph Buck, and southerly and westerly by land of Patrick E. Tenney.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JOANNA CARROLL has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, in front room on the first floor of the building owned by George J. Munroe on the northerly side of Fowle street in said Woburn; said building stands on land bounded westerly by land of E. W. Hudson; northerly and easterly by land of heirs of Moses A. Tyler; southerly by said Fowle street.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that MAURICE DWYER has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a grocer of the fourth class, at store No. 26 on Main street, in said Woburn, in two rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded easterly by said Main street; southerly by land of Celia Fitzpatrick; northerly by Buckman street, and westerly by land of James Doyle.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that FREDERICK B. LEEDS has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a druggist of the fourth class, at No. 141 Main street, first floor of said building, in said Woburn.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that REDDY & CROSBY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as grocers of the fourth class, at store in Miller building, so-called, on Prospect street, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building. Said building is bounded southerly by said Fowle street, westerly by Prospect street; northerly and easterly by other land of William Miller.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that DAVID AHEARN, has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at store in Ahearn's building, so-called, on the easterly side of Main street, corner of Conn street, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded northerly by land of Patrick Kerrigan; easterly by land of J. Brooks Richardson; southerly by Conn street, and westerly by Main street.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that WILLIAM BRADLEY, has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a grocer of the fourth class, at store No. 13 Conn street in said Woburn, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded southerly by land of Bryant & King; northerly by land of Rose McHugh; easterly by land of heirs of Michael McHugh, and westerly by said Conn street.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a license from the Hon. Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, I shall sell at public auction, on the premises, on Tuesday, the eighteenth day of May, A. D. 1886, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land situated in Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, on the southerly side of Montvale Avenue, and bounded:—Beginning on said Avenue, at land of Rebecca P. Flagg; thence southerly, by said land and land of Mary E. Pearsons, about 180 feet, to a stake; thence easterly, by land of said Pearsons and land of Mrs. Bean, about 124 3-10 feet, to stake; thence southerly, by lands of Linnell, Kingsman, Burke, Hinds, Sawtelle, Eager and Henry K. White, about 585 8-10 feet, to a stake; thence westerly, by land of Pollard, 148 9-10 feet, by the wall to a corner of the wall; thence a little west of north, by land of Flagg, about 475 5-10 feet, to a stake at the wall at the late homestead of Charles S. White; thence easterly, by said homestead, about 109 9-10 feet to a stake; thence northerly, by said homestead, about 350 feet, to said Avenue; thence easterly, on said Avenue, 20 feet, to the point of beginning. Said premises are in the neighborhood of fine residences, and afford beautiful views of the surrounding country. Terms at sale.

LEWIS L. WHITNEY, Executor of the Will of Charles S. White.

WM. WINN & Co., Auctioneers.
Woburn, April 23, 1886.

NOTICE

To Owners and Keepers of Dogs.



All Dog Licenses expire APRIL 30, 1886. Persons wishing to retain their numbers, are requested to take DUE NOTICE and govern themselves accordingly.

M. S. SEELEY, Town Clerk,
213 Main Street.

Woburn, April 22, 1886.

Trustees' Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a license granted by the Judge of the Probate Court, in and for the County of Middlesex, the subscribers, trustees of the estate of Oliver Bacon, deceased, will sell at public auction, MAY 11, 1886, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the respective premises, a tract of land, situated in Woburn, on the northerly side of Pleasant street, being lots Nos. 1 to 17 inclusive, on a plan of house lots; also, lot No. 19, on said plan; also a lot shown on said plan not numbered, but bounded southerly on Reed street, easterly on land of the Town of Woburn, northerly on land of A. S. Wood, westerly on lots 10 and 11 on said plan. Also, a lot of land, situated in said Woburn, and bounded westerly on a private street leading from Eastern Avenue to Montvale Avenue, southerly by land formerly of S. O. Pollard & Co., easterly and northerly by land now, or formerly of Flagg, or however otherwise bounded or described.

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Trustees of the Estate of Oliver Bacon.
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Woburn, April 21, 1886.

Providence Permitting,

There will be a meeting held in the Unitarian Chapel on Sunday, April 25, at 2.30 o'clock, P. M., through the mediumship of Mrs. D. E. Ware: Subject for consideration, "Why I am a Medium." After speaking tests will be given. Admission 10 cts. All investigators should attend.

Intelligence Office.

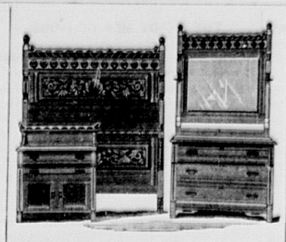
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Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

By license of the Probate Court for the County of Middlesex, the subscriber, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Mary F. Hart, late of Concord, in the State of New Hampshire, deceased, will sell at public auction, at the Court Room of the Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex, situate in Woburn, at the corner of Montvale Avenue and Main street, on Tuesday, the twenty seventh day of April, A. D. 1886, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all the right, title and interest the said Mary F. Hart, at her decease, had in and to a certain lot of unimproved land containing about forty-five acres situate on the easterly side of Middle street in said Woburn, and bounded as follows, namely:—Westerly and northwesterly on and by said Middle St., and by land of Jonathan Thompson; northeasterly by land now or late of Wyman, and by lands of persons unknown; southeasterly by lands of McManus, Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation and others unknown; and southerly by land formerly of Walter Wyman, and others unknown. Meaning and intending the premises, however bounded and described, or reputed to be bounded and described, known as the "Frog Hole" lot, and of which John Fowle 2d, died seized and possessed.

And thereafter, to wit, on the said twenty-seventh day of April, at quarter past four o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court Room aforesaid, the subscriber as administrator as aforesaid, will sell at public auction all the right, title and interest he said Mary F. Hart, at her decease had in and to a certain lot of land situate near the junction of Lexington street and Pleasant street, in said Woburn, and bounded as follows, namely:—Northerly by land now or late of Frost; easterly by land now or late of Stephen Dow; southerly by land now or late of James Nelson; and westerly by land late of Marshall F. Barrett, deceased. Meaning and intending to sell the lot of land which was set off to the said Mary F. Hart out of the estate of James Fowle, deceased. Terms made known at time and place of sales.

EDWARD F. JOHNSON, Administrator.
Woburn, April 6, 1886.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of William Temple, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Susan T. Greenough, of said Woburn, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of April instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty six.

16-3 J. H. TYLER, Register.

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Saturday evening, April

Woman's Column.

The meetings of the Massachusetts Woman Suffrage Association, last month were held in Somerville, Roxbury, West Dedham, Randolph, South Braintree, Canton and Foxboro. Cora Scott Bond, in the Woman's Journal, says of these meetings, "Five of these were large mass meetings, some of the largest, and, with the best results, we have yet held. Not only earnest friends but a few opponents also, seconded the call to hold these meetings, and allowed their names to be published upon the bills. Leading people of each place addressed the meetings with us, and excellent music, organ, piano, violin, and vocal, has been furnished. The interesting fact that the receipts were larger than for any previous month, I am glad to give to the friends of this cause. The collections, memberships, and donations, amounted to $301.47."

Mrs. Pitman of Newport, well known by her nom de plume of Margery Deane has lately been made an honorary member of the S. P. C. A. in consideration of her good work in behalf of animals, both in this State and in Newport.

The committee on woman suffrage reported a bill on Thursday to give women the right to vote in city and town elections on the same terms as men. Now by all means let this bill pass. It is no credit to Massachusetts to let a claim so just as this be voted down, year after year. Women have every interest in the city and town government that men have. Poor women have the same interests that poor men have and rich women have the same interests that rich men have, and all have a common interest. We should be sorry to see the bill defeated.—*Salem Register.*

Frederick Douglass will lecture on "John Brown," at Music Hall, Boston, May 20. Women everywhere should endeavor to hear him, as he was one of the earliest advocates of "Woman's Right's."

In respect to the powers and rights of married women the law is by no means abreast of the spirit of the age. Here are seen the old fossil foot prints of feudalism. The law relating to woman tends to make every family a barony, a monarch or a despotism, of which the husband is the baron, king, or despot, and the wife the defendant, serf, or slave. That this is not always the fact is not due to the law, but to the enlarged humanity which spurns the narrow limits of its rules. The progress of civilization has changed the family from a barony to a republic, but the law has not kept pace with the advance of ideas, manners, and customs.—W. W. Story's Treatise on Contracts not under Seal.

Fourteen years ago, women could not obtain a collegiate education in New England.

Who can tell how many of the original thoughts put forth by male writers belong to a woman by suggestion, to themselves only by verifying and working out? If I may judge by my own case, a very large proportion indeed.—John Stuart Mill.

No logical reason has yet been given why a woman who is fit to vote for the school committee is not also fit to vote for mayor, aldermen and councilmen. The bill giving full municipal suffrage to women ought to be passed. All other theories of political action lead to confusion and chaos and are essentially immoral.—*Boston Sunday Globe.*

President Cleveland has done a praiseworthy act in recalling Gov. Murray from Utah. The latter has been very active in seeking to deprive the women of that Territory of their right of suffrage and is said to have been the originator of that plot. "So perish all the enemies of freedom!"—*Woman's Journal.*

Some ladies of the "Back Bay," Boston, have established a free hospital for dogs and horses at Brookline.

Give the Girls a Business Training.

This is a practical world, and the demand is for practical men and women. On this account a thorough business training is the best discipline which our young can have. Besides, business affairs offer better opportunities to ladies at present than any other field to which they can turn their attention. To those properly trained for its duties, and possessed of a good stock of perseverance, a business life affords the most certain guarantee of success. To those duly prepared and who apply themselves diligently, it is an almost certain path to prosperity. Why should not our girls, as they grow up to be women, go into some regular occupation, just as the boys do? is a question that is often asked.

There is no good reason why they should not, at least, have the preparation for doing something as well as the boys. And what preparation can a young lady have to bring her in harmony with and make her as self-reliant as her brothers or other young men unless it be the same daily training that they receive—the familiarizing of herself with the principles and usages of business life? In other words, if a parent wishes to give a daughter something that would initiate her into the real economies of everyday affairs—the actualities of business life—that something would be a business education. Therefore we say most emphatically to parents: Train your daughters for business.—*Burlington (Iowa) Gazette.*

How Miss Louisa M. Alcott Lives.

Speaking of Miss Louisa M. Alcott, a Boston correspondent says that she is a woman of power, but with little polish or style, who fought manfully to get a hearing, which was granted her at last; but she has only written one important book, "Little Women," which touched the popular chord and coined her money and fame. To-day Miss Alcott supports her family comfortably on what has resulted directly and indirectly from that singularly successful "Little Women." Miss Alcott is living in a spacious, old-fashioned house in Louisburg square. She goes but little into society, her energies and time outside her literary work being devoted to her father, who is a paralytic. No woman receives better prices for her stories than Miss Alcott. She is emphatically a woman's woman. She does not object to men, but they don't interest her as women, for whom she has always been a warm champion. Miss Alcott is always well and tastefully dressed."

A BOSTON METAPHYSICIAN'S THEORY

Two Storekeepers—The Clergyman Who Draws—Effects of Evil Thoughts.

In a Boston course of metaphysics which I am now undergoing the chief metaphysicker asks of his class questions like these: "Why, when two stores are opened on the same street, and near each other, and both alike as to quality of goods kept, does one succeed and the other fail? Why will one be crowded with customers and the other be bare of them?" Thus he answers: "Because one storekeeper has an inviting mind and the other hasn't. Because, separate and apart from business, one storekeeper really likes to see people and be agreeable to them for the sake of making them feel pleasant, and the other doesn't. Because customers feel the thought of the inviting mind agreeably, and that of the uninviting mind disagreeably.

"Because, according to the present school of Boston metaphysics, thoughts are things, like many other things that can't be seen or touched, but nevertheless they are very fine, impalpable, intangible, airy, subtile things, and all of us have within us an almost unknown and certainly unnamed sense that feels things as they come from the people about us, and this feeling will be agreeable or disagreeable according to the nature of the thought felt. The storekeeper who feels mean inside, who doesn't care a straw whether you are suited or not, or who only cares to suit you for the sake of the custom he may get of you, won't make you feel and can't make you feel as pleasant as the one who, with all the desire to draw custom, has a genuine wish that the ham, butter and eggs you buy of him will do you good, and rather than they should not would at heart prefer you should buy them elsewhere, though he lose your custom."

But our metaphysican goes further, much further. Indeed, I dare scarcely tell how far he does go. He says that clergymen are popular and draw for the same reason that the storekeeper does. That is, if the minister be really glad to see his flock, be they few or many, he sends out to them from his pulpit agreeable thought. If he be a perfunctory, mechanical sort of preacher, who has in reality no interest in his calling, and is only in it because, being an "apt scholar" and able to load his memory heavily with so-called facts and figures, his pa concluded he should go into one of the "learned professions," or thought that for the honor and renown of the family one of the boys should shine (or try to) in the pulpit, and therefore put him through a perfunctory course of divinity, when the boy would rather have been a blacksmith, or a blackleg, or something of the sort, why, then, as the metaphysical or rather natural result, he can only when in the pulpit send out a blacksmith, or blackleg, or otherwise order of thought, no matter how much he may try to cover it up with good words and sentiments.

He says also that our thoughts can reach people a long way off, and so may theirs reach us and make us feel pleasant or unpleasant, as they are good or otherwise, and that any amount of this sort of unconscious telegraphing is constantly going on about us. Say that a person is jealous or envious or otherwise down on you, and doesn't want you to succeed in any enterprise, then you will feel that thought; it will depress you; you won't know why or wherefore. It's just the same as though one of those diabolical so-called friends ever stood in front of you while engaged in some undertaking, saying: "You'll fail. It's all nonsense you're trying to do that. You ain't got it in you!" And the possible misfortune is that the thought of friend or enemy may at last discourage you and blind you as to your real ability. Because a current of thought that you live much amongst, or even a current that is directed on you, may make you see and judge things exactly as the person sending it sees and judges them. Say you live or associate among people who are hostile or prejudiced against some particular friend of your own who is absent—one whom you know to be square and honest. Do your best you may find your view of that friend more or less colored by their prejudice, and his or her possible little failings or peculiarities so magnified and exaggerated that you will find yourself at last seeing him or her in the same light and with the same prejudice, though in the depths of your soul you feel or fear you may be wrong.

So says our metaphysician. He says also that thousands of people give way before the constant pressure and fretting of envious, jealous or otherwise ugly thoughts directed on them by another or others and get so discouraged by it as to be at last able to make no further efficient effort in what they want to accomplish, but that there's no need of their being so flattened out by it, for the reason that if they did but even suspect the cause and resist it and set their minds against it, this resistance would turn the evil thought current aside. He says also that an ugly thought poisons the blood of the person that thinks it and is the real cause of disease, and that the cleaner a person's thoughts the purer will be their blood, and that there is for human beings a condition attainable in which no disease could affect them.—Prentice Mulford's Letter in San Francisco Chronicle.

The Coloring Matter in Cochineal.

Experiments have been made by Liebermann, who states that cochineal does not contain more than 10 per cent. of pure coloring matter. Cochineal carmine is a kind of lake very similar to turkey red lake, and contains a large amount of alumnia and lime combined with nitrogenous matter. A commercial sample of very good quality was found to contain 17 per cent water, 20 per cent, nitrogenous matter, 7 per cent, ash, and 56 per cent. coloring matter.—Scientific Journal.

Sunshine Put to an Odd Use.

Sunlight has been put to odd use at Brussels. Falling on a small shaft the rays cause an upward draught of air which sets a fan in motion, and that in turn starts machinery that winds a clock.—Exchange.

A Beautiful Easter Card.

The Virgin Salt Co., of New Haven, Conn., are making a grand offer to introduce their salt. Go and ask your grocer for Virgin Salt and get an elegant Easter Card. In addition we offer an extra inducement: a pair of Doves beautifully lithographed in in ten colors, as natural as life, on a large card 9x10 inches. Virgin Salt is the cleanest, purest and whitest salt ever seen or used. A large package costs only 10 cents.

W. J. Florence says that he has done no writing during his thirty weeks' season except to finish a sketch of E. A. Sothern's life for Brander Matthews's new work on actors and actresses.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

THE SHADY SIDE OF PARIS.

Its Climate Not Agreeable, Its Healthfulness a Humbug, Its Comforts Few.

Sunny France is not often sunny. Rain falls there, on the average, one-third of all the days in the year. And the natives are particularly sensitive to weather. A shower or a flurry of snow will empty the boulevards. A cloudy sky or a raw wind will metamorphose the city, turning it from radiance and gayety to gloom and dullness. Its vaunted fascination depends on the barometer and thermometer. Its climate will not compare with that of New York.

It is very healthful, too, we are perpetually told. But it is not, nor is there any reason why it should be. Any number of diseases prevail there, particularly consumption, rheumatism, neuralgia, fevers, every kind of affection of the liver kidneys, and bladder, all ascribable to local causes. Consumption slays thousands annually, and the sufferers from rheumatism and neuralgia may not be enumerated. These, partially due to climate, are also engendered by the poverty or parsimony of the people. They are willing to spend for show but not for comfort.

Fires indoors are not seen, therefore they who might afford them go without, and they pay the penalty in disordered lungs, muscles, and nerves. Fevers, especially typhoid, come from bad air, lack of ventilation, want of drainage. Many of the best streets reek with odors; most of the apartments ache for oxygen. The Parisian is a natural enemy of fresh air and cold water; he fears the one and avoids the other. A complete bath is a solemnity, an ordeal he seldom braves.

The city has magnificent sewers, but they seem to be kept for exhibition; they are of small benefit to the close, noxious dwellings, where typhus lurks to seize its predestined victims. Paris is the home of typhoid fever; few persons stay there any length of time without contracting it. The water of the city, coming from the Seine, is very unwholesome on account of its limestone properties, which produce any number of serious disorders, mostly of a nephritic character, and from which Parisians are great sufferers. For this reasons cheap wine—vin ordinaire—is almost universally drank; but it does not serve, because the wine usually contains a large proportion of water. The French capital does not deserve its reputation for healthfulness. Almost the only disease not common there is dyspepsia, which French cooking claims particularly to prevent.

The French live out of doors. They have few of the home comforts we demand; nor would they have them, for they cost money and make no outside show. The cooking is exceptionally good, of course, but not equal to its reputation. True, no one knows what he is eating, particularly at the cheaper restaurants; but, if he likes it, perhaps he should not be too curious. Good food, nicely prepared, is nearly as dear as at home, and often not better than ours.—Junius Henri Browne in Chicago Times.

The Intelligence of the Elephant.

The author of "Two Years in the Jungle," Mr. Hornaday, defends the elephant from the charge that its sagacity is of a very mediocre description, and its reasoning faculties are far below those of the dog and possibly other animals. He declares it to be the most intelligent of all animals.

"A horse," he remarks, "which will promptly back at the word of command, or a dog that will back or stand on its hind legs when told to do so, is considered quite accomplished; but in India any well-trained elephant, at a word or touch from his driver, who sits astride his neck, will 'hand-up,' 'kneel,' 'speak,' (trumpet), 'salaam' (salute with his trunk), stop, back, lie down, pull down an obstructing branch, gather fodder and 'hand-up' to his attendant, turn or lift a log, or drag it by taking its drag-rope between his teeth. He will also protect his attendants or attack a common enemy with fury. * * * Contrast with this the performances of our most intelligent breed of dogs, the pointer. Even when young and trained under the most favorable circumstances, they are at best but capable of being taught a few things, as to 'go on,' to 'charge,' to go in a given direction, and retrieve."—Arkansaw Traveler.

People Who Steal Edison's Electricity.

Edison has encountered a novel form of theft in conducting his electric light business in New York. It was found that numerous unprincipled persons had availed themselves of the oportunity to steal electricity, and used it for operating motors and for induction coils. The method of filching the electricity was by boring through the iron pipe surrounding the insulating compound, and then further into one of the copper leads; a set screw fixed in the orifice formed one connection the earth the other. Of course this connection was made beyond the electric meter.

It was hardly worth while to maintain the continued espionage necessary to detect and punish these pilferers, but the superintendent of the station, Mr. Chamberlain, coupled in extra dynamos and threw as great an increase of current over the system as the safety catches would permit, at various times for about one second; while this current was passing, the incandescence lamps would give an unwonted glow, and every induction coil and motor surreptitiously attached to the system would receive an extra current designed to burn it. In this manner the system is occasionally cleared of all trespassers.—Boston Budget.

A Big Spring of Cold Water.

It has recently been discovered that Lake Dias, near DeLeon springs, Volusia county, Fla., is fed by an enormous spring, which boils up about 200 yards off the south shore of the lake. When the surface is perfectly still the boiling can be seen over an area of about five acres. It is proposed to anchor a buoy over the center of the spring, since the best of cool water can be obtained there at any time. Chicago Herald.

Recent London fogs are said to have been pinkish, but from what cause or probable cause is not stated.

To Prevent Small Pox.

To the Editor of the Journal:

A sure preventive of Small Pox without vaccination, may be found in Dr. R. C. Flower's Nerve Pills, prepared by the Flower Medicine Co., and sold by all druggists.

This has been proven by practical experience during one of the most dreadful epidemics of this disease ever known in America. M. D.

W. S. Jackson, husband of the late Helen Hunt, will probably become president of the Denver and Rio Grande railway when reorganized.

A Very Narrow Escape.

"Yes, I had a very narrow escape," said a prominent citizen to a friend. "I was confined to my bed for a year and my friends gave me up for a consumptive's grave, until I began using Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, and here I am, sound and hearty." You will find it for sale by Chas. H. Buss, Druggist, Woburn. Price 50c. and $1. Trial size free.

An Indian Performance in Berlin.

An exciting incident occurred at a place of amusement in Berlin. A company of Indians were engaged there in charge of a European well acquainted with Indian life. After the performances of the evening were over the Indians began to execute together one of their tribal dances—the eagle or winter dance—on the occasion of religious festival. It is the custom among the tribe to which they belong that if any one participating in this dance stumble or fall he shall be put to death by the ordinary mode of tomahawking. During the dance the youngest member of the party—by name Pook-Pook—made an unlucky slip and fell.

Instantly the chief rushed upon him, seized him firmly as he lay prostrate, and, raising his tomahawk, prepared to give the blow which would soon have sent the unfortunate man scalpless into the happy hunting-ground. The European who is with the company, and who was watching the ceremonies, speedily interposed, and under threat of penal consequences compelled the Indian to forego his sanguinary purpose. The fallen man was released, but his deliverance did not appear to be greatly valued by him, since he remarked to his rescuer that sooner or later he would have to pay for his false step with death, his fellow-dancers being bound to take his life either here in Europe or in their own land.—Chicago Tribune.

Value of the Warm Water Bath.

The Sanitary World considers cleanliness not only essential to good health, but it is a mark of good breeding. The laborer, by the clinging of dust to his perspiring person, becomes a fit subject for the bath tub very frequently. Too frequent bathing is weakening. It may not be advisable to take a bath morning and evening, as some medical journals advise, but a good washing frequently enough to keep the person clean. Warm baths will often prevent the most virulent diseases. A person who may be in fear of having received infection of any kind should take a warm bath, suffer perspiration to ensue, and then rub dry. Dress warmly to guard against taking cold. If the system has imbibed any infectious matter, it will be removed by resorting to this process, if done before the infection has time to spread over the system; and even if some time has elapsed, the drenching perspiration that may be induced by hot water will be very certain to remove it.

In cases of congestion, bilious colic, inflammation, etc., there is no remedy more certain to give relief. In cases of obstinate constipation also, wonderful cures have been wrought. For sore throat, diphtheria, and inflammation of the lungs, a hot compress is one of the most potent remedies.—Scientific American.

The Law of Survival Asserted.

Every invention of artificial light in our day has been obstinately opposed as pernicious to life, and I have no doubt the first tallow candle encountered persistent enemies, fearful of that crowning achievement of the dark ages. The accidents which ushered in the invention of gas for a time retarded its general adoption. Explosions were numerous, and deaths from suffocation every-day occurrences, but in the course of time people learned how to use gas.

To-day all this is changed. When water-gas was introduced the same spirit of opposition was manifested, but it rapidly died out. Now the electric light is exciting the apprehension of timid people whose hypercaution blinds them to its But a very few people have been killed by electric light wires, and during the past two or three years such fatalities have been very few and far between. The law of the survival of the fittest asserts itself in the scientific walks of life, and the result will be a race of men whose instincts will protect them from coming in contact with two currents of electricity at the same time.—Col. Flad.

One Peculiarity of the Redwood.

A striking peculiarity of the redwood is the surprising facility with which it imitates all other forms of coniferous growth and branching. Some of the tops of the younger trees have all the wave, swing, and grace of feather palms, others are stiffer in line and resemble more the sugar pine. The fir, the great Sequoia, the Ponderosa or yellow pine, and also the solid dome top, noticed so sharply by Muir in the virgin groves of Sequoia on the Kaweah, are all typified by this versatile tree.

It also has a peculiar feature of its own, a thick branching of long, extended, and pendulous arms, leafless, except a slight furriness all over. The branches have a delicate and graceful flexibility of line and beautiful swing, without the slightest woodiness or stiffness; and yet this form of growth is the most repulsive of all the redwood's freaks, and is best described as spidery, and that on a giant scale. The branches, or, more properly, arms, appear to have the power of locomotives and to be able to seize and hold.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Selling Clothing by Half-Sample.

Clothing drummers are always making an effort to reduce the size of their sample trunks, and to prevent the losses that occur at hotels by reason of the access which porters and housemaids have to their rooms. The loss from this latter source is not so large now as it formerly was, because some manufacturers have hit upon the plan of making only one-half of each article of clothing for a sample. A sample coat is only a half coat; a sample vest only a half vest, and so on. The porter who runs into a drummer's room and out again will not get a full garment, as he formerly did, and girls do not have the same temptations in the matter of providing for their beaux. The plan, too, reduces the weight of the drummer's samples, but I understand the manufacturers lose something in the end, as pieces are now and then mislaid, and the loss of one-half a garment ruins its value. Cor. Globe-Democrat.

Theebaw's queen dresses very plainly in yellow, but constantly wears a 60,000 pounds sterling diamond necklace.

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RABBIT-SKINS FOR HAT-MAKING.

The Growth of an Enormous Industry.—The Business in France and England.

The trade in rabbit skins for hat-making is now an enormous industry. The skins are doubly valuable, the hair being used for felt-making and the pelts to boil down into glue. The present statistics of the industry in Europe may be figured from the fact that 80,000,000 of skins are collected in France, 25,000,000 to 30,000,000 in England, almost entirely from the warrens of the sand-hills and woods; 12,000,000 to 15,000,000 in Belgium, almost wholly of domestic breed (as are nine out of ten of the 80,000,000 of French skins); 2,000,000 to 3,000,000 in Russia, Sweden and Norway, and 4,000,000 in northern Germany, yearly. In Austria and Hungary there are about 12,000,000 collected, but retained for home manufacture. Spain and Portugal have skins of inferior quality, which are kept for the hat factories of these countries. France occupies the chief place in the commerce of rabbit-skins, not only in regard to quantity but to quality. There is no rabbit comparable to the French rabbits, either to eat or to make hats of. Both to Belgium and to England large quantities are exported.

The supremacy of France did not exist at the start in the rabbit-skin trade. In the early part of this century the Germans and English took the lead in the preparation of the skins. France was oppressed, and was unable to take advantage of this new industry till 1847. From that date we reckon the rise of a trade which has attained to gigantic dimentions. Paris, which is the center of the preparation of the material, dispatched agents in every direction to employ brokers, chiffoniers and other collectors of skins of rabbits and hares, which had before been seldom preserved for any use. The most energetic and successful purveyors in this industry were the Auvergnats, who still remain the chief agents in the collection. In 1847 the couperies de poits worked up 2,500,000 of skins; the establishments in the provinces consumed about an equal quantity.

At first the manufacturer collected and stored rabbit skins, and transformed them into hats with very rude machinery. It is only recently, by the distribution of labor, always advantageous, that the preparation of the stuff has been separated from the manufacture of hats, and the collection of the skins is organized as a distinct industry. In England there are now some twenty firms engaged in preparing and cutting the skins, the largest of which firms are in Southwark, and others in Manchester and Leeds. The industry altogether is a very interesting one in many respects, and it represents a living to large numbers of people, including the collection of skins in the towns and villages throughout the country, and the hundreds of women and girls occupied in "pulling" and in other operations preparatory to the felting, when the hat manufacturer enters upon the mysteries of his special trade.

The value of the rabbit skin trade in England alone last year was over $1,000,000. There are no statistics at hand of the trade in this country, but it is very important, and there are even places where rabbits are bred in order to provide skins for the market. This is, however, a perilous experiment, as the experience of Australia and New Zealand with their rabbit plagues will demonstrate.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

No Angle-Worms in Florida Sand.

A northern settler in Florida complains of a certain poverty of the soil there. The fishermen, he says, find no angle-worms. Recently he imported a number of the ruddy specimens, such as the northern boy digs a box full of in a few minutes, when he wants to go fishing, out of the earth behind the barn. They were sent on in a wooden pail filled with loam, and the settler, boring a few holes in the pail, set it in Florida ground. The worms did not go out exploring through the holes, as they might have done, but remained closely bunched up in the exact center of the pail; and at the end of a few weeks they had become almost as colorless as the sand fleas of the sea shore.—Harper's Weekly.

A Pike's Tenacity of Life.

It is reported that a young pike which was recently sent from Holland to Paris packed in ice showed signs of life on reaching its destination, and that notwithstanding it had been three days out of water, and frozen stiff, it was resuscitated, and is now swimming about in a tank in the Trocadero aquarium. Which goes to show that the theory of Benjamin Franklin and others that animation may be suspended by freezing and restored by thawing at any time suiting the purposes of the operator—a theory heretofore supposed to have been whimsically conceived—may have something in it after all.—Harper's Weekly.

King Montezuma's Descendants.

On the pension list of the Mexican government there are still several descendants of King Montezuma. The treasury pays every New Year $3,800 to the count and countess of Miravalle, $3,300 to Don Mariano Ortiz, the same sum to Dona Carmen Garcia Trevilla, an amount of euphonious nomenclature which the claimants were probably induced to accept in part payment.—Cor. Cincinnati Enbuirer.

We Should Also Remember.

"There is a good deal of religion in nature," soleimly remarked a young Aberdeen clergyman calling upon a lady of his congregation recently. "There is," was the quiet reply. "We should never forget that there is a sermon in every blade of grass." "Quite true. We should also remember that grass is cut very short sometimes."—Chicago Herald.

Pronunciation of "Veni, Vidi, Vici."

The pronunciation of Latin, as now taught at Harvard, would sound like burlesque to those who learned Latin twenty or thirty years ago. Veni, vidi, vici is pronounced Wanee, weede, weeke. This revolution is due to Professor George M. Lane, who thinks he finds his authority for it in a careful study of Quintilian.—Boston Evening Traveler.

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THE MINISTER'S WIFE.

"Always just so. Raining just as hard as it can pour, Deacon Graves. And this Sunday, too, of all Sundays. It's strange why the world is full of contraries!"

"It's bad Philury, bad enough. John's first Sunday, too! But may be t'will clear up before meeting time. 'If it rains before seven 'twill quit before 'leven.'"

"It's just our luck, deacon. I'm not one bit afraid to say that it won't stop. And there's the Pillsburys and the Kents, and the Simonsons all in town, besides the city boarders and Miss Cartlin, and they won't one of 'em hear our John preach. The first spatter on the window-pane woke me up. The wind is in the east, too. My sakes!"

"Well, Philury, we can't change the weather, no how; that's beyond our jourisdiction; it's in the hands of a higher power."

"But what'll we do, deacon?"

"We can't do anything, Philury, as I can see, only submit to it."

"We've had such gorgeous weather all along, deacon, not a bit of rain, and such warm sunny days, that I can't understand why it should rain the very first day John's home. And the very first time he is going to preach, too!"

"The crops need the rain the worst way, Philury. It will be accounted as a great blessing to the whole country, only I wish it had held off a day longer."

"It might have begun this afternoon, deacon, just as well as this forenoon. I wouldn't have cared if it had rained the rest of the week, but this morning of all times, when I've been counting on John's preaching in our old meeting-house and praying for it ever since he was born. How does it look now?"

The deacon had arisen and gone to the bed-room window and was looking toward the sky.

"To tell the truth, Philury, it's set in for an old-fashioned rain, and we'll just have to acquiesce in the ways of Providence and his dealings with us this day, if they are disappointing and completely different from what we calculated on."

Mrs. Deacon Graves had consecrated her eldest son, John, to the Lord in his earliest days. It had been her one great ambition to have him a minister. A great many other mothers have felt just as Mrs. Graves did, but their ambition was not realized. Mrs. Graves' ambition had been gratified, and although she had consecrated John unreservedly, yet the weakness of the flesh would assert itself. Hadn't she calculated that all the world of Aroostonook should hear her son preach in the meeting house that particular Sunday? Hadn't she had a new black silk dress made for the occasion, and her bonnet all trimmed over? How could she wear all these new things in the rain? And then, too, folks wouldn't be apt to go out in the storm to meeting. They went everywhere else, but rains on Sunday were quite apt to keep Aroostonook folks at home. The mother was very proud of John, her John, who had just been licensed.

"It's too bad, John," she said, as she gave him a good morning kiss, "too bad, such a rainy day! Your first Sunday, too. I'm so sorry about it. The folks are all home this month, and the city boarders and Miss Catlin."

"I'm not sorry at all, mother," her son answered cheerfully, as he sat down to breakfast. "We must take things as they come. Old Dr. Bellamy had a class of theological students to examine, before the days of the seminaries. They had all met at his house. After he had satisfied himself that they were all thoroughly orthodox and had pronounced them sound in doctrine, he told them there was one point more he wanted them to remember. It was a very important one, too, and would be of the greatest value to them in their ministerial life. All the students were anxious to know what this point was that had escaped their attention so long. After the reverend doctor had deliberated for a few moments, he drew himself up to a height of dignity peculiar to himself, and in a very solemn manner said, slowly and impressively, 'Young gentlemen, when it rains, let it rain! Good morning,' and bowed himself out of the room. So, mother, dear, when it rains we'll let it rain. It's a strong, theological point, you know, to be satisfied with our present condition when it is ordered by heaven, and quite beyond our power to change it."

"Maybe they'll all go if it does rain," the mother ventured to remark. "It's a warm rain, and most of the women have gossamers, now-a-days."

John smiled.

"Did you ever think, mother, what an ordeal it might be for a young man to preach in his own town, where he has always been known, his boyish pranks remembered, his youthful unfledged acts all set down against him? To get up in the pulpit and preach to all the fathers and mothers, who only look on me as Deacon Graves's boy John, takes away a great deal of the enthusiasm, the glory, as you might please to call it. Have you considered that I may disappoint you, and not come up to the standard?" he said, laughingly—"and you be ashamed of your preacher son, my dear, good, ambitious mother? Perhaps you will have occasion to thank the Lord devoutly that he sent rain upon the thirsty earth this particular morning."

When the first bell began to send forth its music the clouds really seemed to be moving off. If the wind could only be coaxed to shift into the northwest it would be sure to be clear. But the obstinate weathercock on top of the barn, with his proud head, would not be induced as much as to look sideways toward the point of the compass sure to indicate a clearing up.

When the second bell rang it was raining hard. Mrs. Graves put on her second best dress, and her every-day bonnet, and told the deacon she felt as if she had had cold water poured over her. But the Pillsburys and the Kents and the city boarders, and even Miss Catlin came in, one after another, with dripping umbrellas and wet gossamers. Everybody wanted to hear Deacon Graves's son John preach his first sermon in the old meeting-house. The girls, who had known him all his life, had decorated the church with flowers, and the choir had been drilling all the preceeding week.

Rev. John Graves seemed perfectly self possessed in the pulpit, beneath whose droppings he soothingly slept on his mother's arm when a little child, and later heard his name read off among those who were to join on the "profession of their faith." The good old silver-haired pastor had introduced the new disciple of the Lord Jesus Christ as "one of our children of the covenant." The sermon was far beyond what the people who had always known John Graves had given him credit for. So often did the loving mother find herself thinking of the temporal glory, instead of the spiritual, that she offered up a silent prayer that she might be kept from spiritual pride, and receive this mark of God's kindness to her in a humble manner.

But her eyes would stray to the corner of the pew in which Miss Catlin sat. She watched the young lady's face; she noted the interest with which she listened. For Mrs. Graves had only arrived at one of the heights of her ambition; although she would scarcely acknowledge it to herself, she had another ambition to which, as yet, she had not attained unto. She wanted John to marry Miss Catlin. Miss Catlin was just her idea of a minister's wife. She had tact to get along with all the different kinds of members. Mrs. Graves firmly believed that if a minister got a good wife it was half the battle won. She was going to invite Miss Catlin, with some other friends, to tea the very next day—she was sorry such thoughts would entrude themselves during meeting-time, and when her son John was preaching too. And she leaned her head down in the closing prayer, and begged the Lord to forgive her for them. The spirit was willing, but the flesh was so weak. While John Graves was pronouncing the benediction, just as he was saying, "The Lord make peace," a ray of sunshine suddenly came through the window and rested on his young face.

"Hasn't mistaken his calling, that son of yours, deacon," whispered the old farmer in the back pew. "Promising young preacher," said a city gentleman, so near Mrs. Graves's second best bonnet that the words penetrated through it. Euerybody who knew him in his young days crowded around the pulpit stairs to give him a welcome. Everybody congratulated the deacon and his wife, and Miss Catlin with them.

When the family arrived home the proud, fond mother put her arms around her son's neck and kissing him over and over again, said, "My dear John, this is the happiest moment of my life. Make yourself worthy of the Master who has called you," and John replied, "Dear mother, that shall be the aim of my life."

After Mr. and Mrs. Graves had been left alone in the evening, John's mother said:—

"Deacon, don't you think Miss Catlin will make a good wife for our John?"

"I don't know; I never thought of it, wife. You can't always arrange such matters according to your own ideas. Probably John'll want to select his own wife"

"John won't have much time to hunt up a wife, and it's such a hindrance to a minister to get a poor wife. You know it would be such an easy thing for him to get imposed upon. You remember Dr. Bentley's wife, and how she hindered him in his work by her worldly-mindedness and her feathers and flowers, and all the puffs and ruffles on her children's clothes. And there was Mr. Mason, as good a man as there is in the world—one of the Lord's own chosen, but his wife couldn't adapt herself to the situation. She was always in hot water with some of the members. She would speak out her mind. Ministers wives can't speak out their minds when it's going against the gram with their husbands parishioners. You know the church felt sorry enough to dismiss Mr. Mason. He was a powerful preacher, but his wife was the stumbling block in his way. John might get caught just that way, and his usefulness hindered. Miss Catlin knows how to take all sorts of folks, and she's one that won't be run over, either, by those women in every church who want to be captains and have their own way, like Mrs. Deacon Jones and Abner Whitney's second wife. I'm going to invite Miss Catlin with the Pillsburys to tea to-morrow night."

The deacon was nodding in his chair when his wife finished speaking, and she was left to her own thoughts.

When John was informed the next morning by his mother that she had invited a young lady to take tea with him, and told him she was just the one for a minister's wife, John smiled, but only said that he would be pleased to see his mother's idea of a prospective minister's wife. It was evident when the visit was over that John was not very enthusiastic over his mother's guest. The deacon told his wife that it was his opinion that John wa'n't over and above pleased with Miss Catlin. "It is in vain you spread a net in sight of any bird." But John was only going to be at home a few days, and if his mother could only bring about meetings enough with Miss Catlin to guarantee John's asking to correspond with her, she was sure the matter would be adjusted to her satisfaction.

There was evidently something on John's mind—"something that weighed heavy," his mother said. If it was because he feared he could not get a church she was certain he was worrying for nothing. Of course, with his talents, he wouldn't have to preach around as a candidate long. But that was not what was not on John's mind at all. He was pondering how to tell his mother that his wife had already been selected, and that he had had the pleasure of making his own selection.

It was not after his mother's pattern, however, as the petite Annie Woodruff was exactly the opposite of Miss Catlin physically, and he was sure mentally, as well. He was so sorry his choice had not come up to his mother's standard, for her sake. All he knew about it was that Annie just suited him. Whether she would suit his mother and his parishoners was quite another question. But why should ministers have a prescribed type of wives different from other men? A good wife was a good wife anywhere.

"Mother, dear," said John one morning, when his mother was rolling out the crust of his favorite pies, "I hope I shall find a wife who can make as good a pie as you can."

"Miss Catlin will make a splendid housekeeper and just the wife for you, John, in every particular. She can lead the missionary meetings and the women's prayer meetings, and can cut out anything at the sewing society with out any patterns, and she's the most discreet person I ever knew."

"A high recommendation, surely. But what will you think when I tell you that I have already engaged my wife, mother, and that she is just the opposite of Miss Catlin, as far as I can judge?"

"Why, John Graves!" exclaimed the astonished mother, laying down her rolling-pin which fell upon the floor with a tremendous noise, "when did you have time with all your theological studies, to hunt up a suitable wife?"

"I didn't spend much time hunting for her; the Lord placed her, in his good providence, in my way. I hope you will love her for my sake, mother."

"I'm sort of overwhelmed, John, and you must excuse me if I don't say enough in favor of it just now," and she stooped down and picked up her rolling-pin.

"That rainy Sunday was a sort of shadow of coming events all around, deacon," she said as John passed out of the door and the deacon come in. "John's got his wife all picked out and secured, and she is just the opposite of Miss Catlin."

"Didn't I tell you, Philury, that mothers can't pick out wives for their boys. If I'd married Marthy Stone, as my mother wanted me to, I wouldn't have been half as well off as I am now."

"Well, deacon, I suppose you are right. John!" she called, "it's all right. Whoever you bring home for a daughter, I'll receive and do the best by her I can."

"I guess John's got judgment enough to pick out a suitable companion, said his father. "You are wise, my son, to make your bargain in that direction before you get a call and settle down in your field of labor. An unmarried minister isn't the one a church wants to settle. We never wanted one of 'em. There will be more or less talk among the women folks, you know."

Six months later, when Rev. John Graves received a call to settle at Burbanksville, he and Annie Woodruff were married and when he brought her home to make a visit with his father and mother, the deacon said:—

"Well, Philury, let John alone for picking out a wife. He didn't need any help, such a pretty, bright little creature as she is. To be sure she doesn't look stout enough to hold her own against a lot of unruly sheep, pushing and pulling against her, but maybe John won't have many such members. Sometimes such little women get along better than the big ones. Folks handle 'em kind of softly, and jostle against 'em, because they are so small there's danger of stepping on to 'em."

Years afterwards, when the old deacon and his wife visited their son John, after he had been installed over the largest church at Crawford City, they heard so much of their son's wife's popularity among her husband's parishioners, they felt sure that he owed his success in a great measure to his good wife.

"The truth is, Philury," said the deacon, "a minister's wife needs to have plenty of good common sense; what we say in New England, 'good sound horse sense,' and John's wife's got it. That's one of the Christian graces, just as much as charity and long suffering and meekness and all the rest of 'em are."

"I don't see how she stands it all," said his wife. "It's ring, ring, ring from morning until night. That girl doesn't more than get down stairs, before she has to go up again. There isn't many girls in our town would put up with such a sight of tramping. Half of the callers had better stay at home and tend to their own business, such a fool's errand as some of them come on. Taking her time from her housework and the children, telling long stories without any head or tail to 'em, making complaints about their neighbors, and trying to get her name on all sorts of society papers, and she has to be so careful about signing them, because she is John's wife and her name misplaced would injure his cause. But she manages them all so well, and doesn't even disturb John when he is in his study, to ask what he thinks about 'em all. I ask her sometimes if she isn't tired nearly to death, but she always looks so cheerful and says, 'O, no, mother.' I don't believe Miss Catlin would have done as well."—*Interior.*

A Legend of Rag Rock.

It was early autumn, shortly before the arrival of the Pilgrims at Plymouth, and the ardent sun, as he declined towards the west, threw a flood of golden light on Innitou (Horn Pond), over whose flashing waters glided several canoes filled with Aberginian Indians, returning to their village in the shadow of Misnomo, (Rag Rock) from a hunt to the southwest, among whom was Wabanowi (the Seer) Chief Sachem of the tribe. For ages untold had these children of the forest and their ancestors lived here in peace, save their petty wars with neighboring tribes: their young men and maidens had been born, had loved and grown old and passed away to the happy hunting grounds, while the sun still shone in the unknown east out of the great waters, and sat in majesty behind the western hills. The traditions of the tribe, which had been handed down from father to son for generations unknown, at the evening camp fires told their previous history, how they came from another country—from a land far away on the other side of the salt pond and that in coming time, unless they should be vigilant in watching the signs which would be given, and prompt in action to resist, their tribe, with others around them, would dwindle away and disappear before a coming foe.

Wabanowi had a daughter named Nansema, (she who steals hearts) as slender and graceful as a fawn, who, during the above-named hunt, had met with a young Narragansett chief named Winitihooloo (fighting bear) and ere the hunt was over, he had won her heart but had lost his in return. For sometime he lingered with the party, till the day near the close of the hunt, he sought an interview with Wabanowi, and thus addressed him "The deer bounded through the forest, strong as the hazel bow, free as the air, and whom none can overtake, but he seeks his mate. The graceful fawn timidly peeping from her leafy covert, shivers at the long howl of the gray wolf and longs for some one with whom she may go for love and protection. Winitihooloo is strong of arm and fleet of foot; the bear falls before his tomahawk his arrow pierces the breast of the foe; but his heart grows weak before the loving glance of Nansema, and Nansema pines in her loveliness for the wigwam of her lover." The young warrior paused, but the chieftain wrapped in his robe, spake not and remained immovable. Winitihooloo resumed his speech. "The traditions of the Narragansetts are the traditions of the Aberginians, the signs of the forest are mysterious but sure; the long predicted foe though yet unseen is approaching Wabanowi will need assistance. Winitihooloo and the Narragansetts will lend him their aid in destroying the enemy ere it is too late." As the last words of the young chief died on the air, up sprang Wabanowi, his eyes flashing fire, his majestic frame quivering with anger, and pointing his finger at Winitihooloo who stood with his arms calmly folded on his breast, thus addressed him. "Wabanowi is his own prophet, his eye looks into futurity, he can read the signs for himself, his arm is the terror of his foes, does the old bear ask the young wolf to assist him? When the signal fires are lighted, his warriors will assemble, and who can stand before their sharp arrows, or resist the tomahawks of the Aberginians? Had you only asked for the light of my wigwam and Nansema had consented, although my heart had been left desolate, I should have given her to you; but you add insult; there is no foe approaching, but if there was, Wabanowi and his braves are able to fight their own battles, they need no assistance. Begone! Nansema will remain in the wigwam of her father, and Winitihooloo's life is not safe if the arrows of the Aberginians are pointed at him." The young chief replied, "Wabanowi will read for himself. He will become convinced. I go, but Nansema will await my future coming." So saying he strode away, and was lost to sight in the mazes of the forest.

Wabanowi with his hunting party soon started for home and on the afternoon first mentioned were just nearing their village. The day had been sultry. As the Indians approached their wigwams, the haze increased, the top of Mianomo seemed covered with a thin veil, through which the lightning played and strange figures seemed to come and go. Soon the sun, like a huge ball of copper dimly seen, lingered for a moment on the distant hill, then slowly sank from sight leaving the mountain covered with a bale of glory, which slowly faded from view and night came on while the stillness of death reigned in the murky atmosphere, broken only by the hoot of the ill-omened owls in the forest. The Indians though accustomed to such sights and sounds, seemed to be oppressed with a mysterious awe; naturally superstitious, they looked upon all such appearances as the work of the Great Spirit, and the predictions as to the approaching foe having been noised abroad, as night closed in, the whole village went to rest in profound silence.

Wabanowi turned uneasily from side to side as the night advanced, now sleeping, now partly awake, till of a sudden, at the entrance of the wigwam appeared a female figure, which beckoned to him, then slowly moved back as if inviting him to follow. He arose wrapped himself in his robe and taking his weapons with him, went out; the figure, like a shadow slowly glided toward the mountain, followed by Wabanowi, who was held by a spell he could not resist. As they approached the mountain, it seemed to glow with an unearthly light, the figure passed into it, followed by the chieftain through a rent which seemed to open in the side but closed as soon as they had entered, when the figure having waved over him her shadowy arms he sank on a mossy bed and soon was in a profound slumber.

Toward morning a west wind came up clearing the haze away and the sun rose in Autumnal splendor. As Nansema awoke after a troubled night, she missed her father. The tribe becoming alarmed, diligent search was made, his trail was followed to the mountain, at whose base some ornaments were found, worn by him, but the chieftain himself was not to be seen.

Time went on, and Nansema's ringing laugh was heard no more. Her step had lost its lightness, her eyes their brightness, till one day, as she sat looking at the mountain while it seemed as if her overloaded heart would burst, suddenly Winitihooloo stood before her. She uttered a shriek, and threw herself into his loving arms. She had found relief. She had lost her father, but had recovered her lover. He was all to her now. She began to look herself again, in short, Winitihooloo wedded the beautiful Nansema, took her to his tribe in what is now the state of Rhode Island where they lived in happiness.

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Time still sped on, then rumors came announcing the arrival of strange pale faced men and white squaws in a big canoe with wings, which made a noise like thunder. Winitihooloo saw that this was the foe foretold by their traditions and urged Canonicus, chief of his tribe to join the other tribes in destroying them ere it was too late, but Canonicus and the Narragansetts refused, they remained friendly to the Colonists, and afterwards to Roger Williams, fighting for them against the Pequots, till Winitihooloo's fiery eloquence persuaded them to join King Philip in his war of extermination against the English, and in the second battle at what is now Kingston, Rhode Island, he with Nansema was in their fortress in a swamp at the time it was taken by the Colonists when, after fighting desperately and finding all was lost, he cut his way out against tremendous odds, taking Nansema with him, both escaping unhurt, afterwards with the small remnant of his tribe left, he lived at peace with the whites.

The Colonists continued to multiply and spread; the Indians to dwindle and retire until few were seen in the vicinity of Boston.

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When Wabanowi awoke from his long sleep, he was in total darkness, but gradually a light from above stole upon him till he could see the same figure that conducted him into the mountain coming toward him. Her face seemed angelic and with a voice of supernatural sweetness she thus addressed him.

"Wabanowi, I am your guardian spirit, I conducted you here. I caused a deep sleep to fall upon you in order that your life might be saved, and yourself spared the pain of seeing your tribe disappear before the foe foretold by the traditions of your ancestors, whose coming it was not for good reasons, given you to foretell. That foe has come. It is the "Pale Face" sent by the Great Spirit to take possession of your country and whom it would have been useless for you to resist. I foresaw that your life and those of most of your tribe would be sacrificed in the brave resistance I knew you would make, so I took the above means to save you and them. Bow willingly therefore to the decrees of a power greater than yourself. I shall now conduct you to the top of this mountain and after you have seen what you will see from its summit, go to the Narragansetts, with them you will find Nansema with Winitihooloo in whose wigwam you can live and die in peace." Slowly the light became stronger, and the Spirit after conveying him to the top through a passage in the rocks, which opened for the purpose but immediately closed again, waved her hand, disappeared and was seen no more.

The Chieftain slowly and sadly looked around him. At his feet lay Innitou smiling as of yore in the rays of the morning sun, but not a canoe was seen on its surface. He turned his head to look at his village, but that alas, with all its inhabitants, had disappeared—not even a wigwam was left standing; but in their places were the first log-huts of the "Pale-Faces," his traditionary foes seen in the distance, at whose doors played their pale, delicate looking children in place of the dusky papposes formerly so dear to his heart. The strange sound of unknown animals caught his ear instead of the forest sounds late so familiar.

Long and silently he gazed on the mournful sight; and then he, the Chief Sachem of the Aberginians, alone, the last of his tribe to depart, slowly descended the mountain, and going to the shore of Innitou, found an old canoe the last relic of his people. Getting into it, he for the last time paddled over its quiet bosom, now the property of the stranger, to its southern end, where he stepped out, crushed the canoe to atoms beneath his feet and after taking a last lingering gaze at the summit of the mountain he had just left and the beautiful lake he had just crossed, took his course through the forest and in due time arrived at the place where the remnant of the Narragansetts resided. On approaching the spot he espied two little papposes at play near a wigwam. Enchanted at once more seeing children of his own race, he eagerly advanced toward them, they, screaming at his approach, ran toward the wigwam; their mother coming to see what was the matter, met the Sachem face to face, but an instant elapsed when the recognition came, and father and daughter were locked in each others arms weeping like children for joy, while soon the whole village turned out to see the sight and hear the history of the stranger. Of course Wabanowi and Winitihooloo were soon friends, the old chief passed the rest of his days in the wigwam of Nansema and often he would take his grandchildren on his knees and tell them the story of his wonderful adventure in the mountain.

Thus ends the legend, but there are those who say "that in the early Indian summer days on the morning nearest the full moon in September of each year, the tall form of Wabanowi may still be seen at sunrise, standing for a short time on Rag Rock gazing around while soon after, a canoe may also be noticed containing the old chief, skimming swiftly over waters of Horn Pond, and disappearing quickly at its southern end."

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

☞ One of the most important public improvements that is now or has been for years before Congress is the construction of the Hennipen Canal, and there is no one that so persistently hangs fire. Its immense advantages to the agricultural and manufacturing industries of the central western states have been clearly demonstrated time and time again and yet its claims on the public treasury have been as often disallowed, while hundreds of other schemes possessing not a tithe of its merits have secured abundant national aid. It is expected that the matter will come up in Congress again in a few days, when it is to be hoped the appropriation asked for will no longer be withheld.

☞ As far as the case has progressed the weight of testimony goes to show most conclusively that Gov. Robinson and his Council did the proper thing by refusing to accept the bid of Cyrus W. Field and others for the New York and New England railroad bonds. There is no question, judging from the evidence before the committee, but that Field and associates in the syndicate wanted the bonds for the specific purpose of feathering their own nests by wrecking the road, but Gov. Robinson interposed and refused to let the New York schemers have the tools to do it with. His course in this business is and will be heartily endorsed by all sensible and well disposed people in the State.

☞ President Cleveland says the Massachusetts Democrats have given him more trouble and anxiety than all the rest put together, and nearly all the offices in the State are yet to be filled. He is also reported as having said that if all of them were to be believed there is hardly a Democrat in the Commonwealth worthy of filling any public position of importance.

☞ In view of the report that the great manufacturers and capitalists are organizing to fight labor with money Grand Master Workman Powerly says the Order of Knights will be ready to meet the issue when it is made up. In fact he rather likes this new phaze of the conflict, believing that, in the end, labor will come off victorious over money.

☞ Unless the Legislature adjourns pretty soon the members will have scant time to get their fences in good shape for the fall election. Some of them, we hear, are growing anxious about it, but those who haven't fences to mend are in no particular hurry about leaving the State House.

☞ Congress is expected to adjourn as soon as July 1, and perhaps a week or two short of that date. A great deal of important work has been done by a very busy and industrious session, and many members are already beginning to anticipate their vacation with feelings of pleasure.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

W. E. Carter—Rink.
"Printer"—For Sale.
T. C. Evans—Stetson.
M. E. DeLoriea—Wanted.
Unitarian Society—May Party.
B. F. Lightfoot—Entertainment.
J. G. Maguire—Pet. for Licenses.
Leavitt & Sherman—Photography.
No. W. St. R'y—Legislative Hearing.
Town of Woburn—Notice of Board of Health.

— Stoves carefully stored for the season by G. W. Jenkins.

— Mrs. DeLoriea wants an experienced dress-maker at once.

— Plumbing in all its branches promptly attended to by C. M. Strout.

— A great number of dwellings are in process of erection in different parts of the town.

— Rev. M. E. Wright, the new Methodist pastor, took charge of his parish here last Sunday.

— By the explosion of an oil lamp there came very near being a big fire at Curtis's Bazaar last Saturday.

— On May 24 the Boston & Lowell R. R. Company will put on its day express to Montreal via the Air Line.

— Mr. Francis keeps the Library lawn in the very best order and it never looked nicer than at the present time.

— What time, if ever, is work to be begun on the order to widen Main street below the Congregational church?

— The *Globe* man says the gates at the railroad crossings in this place are to be removed and better ones substituted.

— Albert Thompson, the cattle painter, will be found the first of the warm season at Woburn.—*Last Sunday Globe.*

— It will be seen by the advertisement that Lyceum Hall doors open to admit to the May Party next Tuesday evening at 7.15.

— Hark, how the feathered warblers sing; 'tis Nature's cheerful voice; soft music hails the lovely spring, and woods and fields rejoice.

— This reporter saw cherry trees in full blossom last Saturday, April 24. If anybody can beat that let him bring on his cherry trees.

— B. F. Lightfoot will appear in Costume as Othello on next Thursday evening at Lyceum Hall. See advertisement in this paper.

— R. J. W. Phinney, Esq., attended the first reunion and dinner of the Phillips Academy Alumni at the Vendome last Wednesday.

— The new Street Railway Company will put on open horse-cars very soon. They will make a ride to North Village and back very pleasant.

— Mr. Phillips the Pleasant street gateman is sodding the grounds around the gate-house and making things there look as neat as a whistle.

— Water Registrar Barrett is an old soldier, a prominent and active member of the G. A. R., and a good fellow. Give the veterans a chance.

— No one should fail to attend Lightfoot's subscription concert in Lyceum Hall next Thursday evening. It will be given by the very best talent.

— Copeland, Bowser & Co., have a storeful of the best kind of spring dry, dress and fancy goods. They were all selected with care and are in style.

— A revolution in cooking by using the New Hub Range with wire gauze oven door. Sold by C. M. Strout.

— Contractors Ellis are making good headway on the foundation of the Pleasant street depot which will be a solid piece of work when completed.

— We print this week "A Legend of Rag Rock" by Judge Converse, which our readers will find very interesting. At least we have so found it.

— The legislature hearing on the petition of the No. Woburn Street Railway Company amendment of charter is advertised in this paper to take place on May 4.

— Patrick Crilly has been appointed Superintendent of the Water Works; Oliver M. Wade, Engineer; E. C. Claffy, Fireman; J. A. Mosher, Watchman.

— Next week the Assessors will begin to lay a foundation for the tax levy of 1886, and may their shadows never grow less. Their visits are a hard necessity.

— Ladies in need of fine kid gloves are advised to visit the new department in the Dry Goods House of A. Cummings. He has several grades which are highly praised.

— School Superintendent Richardson was a member of the Board that met in Boston last week and examined applicants to fill the vacant cadetship in this Congressional District.

— A few weeks ago Milton Gray Bulfinch, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen A. Bulfinch, the former a brother of Mr. Henry F. Bulfinch of this place, died at Truckee, Cal.

— The grocers' clerks will give their first annual ball and concert in Lyceum Hall on next Friday evening, May 7. The arrangements are in the hands of a large and able committee.

— Mr. Edward W. Gray is meeting with excellent success in canvassing for the Fidelity and Casuelty Insurance Company among the employees of the B. & L. R. R., for which he is special agent.

— Capt. Charles W. Converse recently suffered an attack of bleeding at the lungs and now lies in a critical condition at his residence on Plympton St. He is attended by Dr. Church of Winchester.

— The Water Board made their appointments last Monday evening, when Mr. Albert P. Barrett was appointed Registrar. A full list of the officers of the town will appear in our next number.

— Mr. W. E. Plummer made a speech at a meeting of the Beacon Society held at the Revere House, Boston, last Saturday evening. Several distinguished gentlemen were present and made remarks.

— The grand ball and promenade concert of the Knights of Labor comes off this evening in Lyceum Hall. It is the first annual affair of the kind and nothing has been left undone to make it a great success.

— Mr. Isaac B. Sawtell, a brother of Mr. Joseph B. Sawtell of this place, was prostrated by a stroke of paralysis at his business place in Boston last Monday from which it is thought he will not recover.

— The *Advertiser* has already commenced agitating a 4th of July celebration. Which is accounted for by the fact that he is a member of the Standing Committee. Venerable M., do give us a rest.

— Prior & Mann keep a great variety of ladies' and gentlemen's boots and shoes, also youth's and children's and they keep the best to be found in the market. Very low prices rule at Woburn Shoe Store.

— By refering to his advertisement in this paper it will seen that Mr. Charles H. Barnes, 512 Washington street, Boston, is making a push on baby wagons and ice-chests of which he has a great stock

— But little, if any, tree-planting was done in this village on Gov. Robinson's Arbor Day. Whether our people let it slip their minds, or didn't care much about the business, is what we have not yet found out.

— Roadmaster Johnson has gone at it hammer and tongs to mend the ways of the town. The Montvale Avenue improvement is under way, and other roads in town are receiving special attention from Mr. Johnson.

— On the 16th of this month Mrs. Nancy A., wife of Mr. H. M. Beers, died at Riverside, Cal. Mr. Beers was some years ago a well-known citizen of Woburn, and the deceased will be remembered by many people here.

— A few days ago C. E. Sullivan fetched into this office an old and much rusted shell found by the workmen excavating near the railroad which was a real curiosity. How it came to be where it was found is a mystery.

— Dr. Frank W. Graves is making important improvements on his Pleasant street residence. When he gets everything arranged to his taste he will have one of the most comfortable, homelike, and pleasantest residences in town.

— A rare bargain in printing material—type, presses, machines, etc.—is offered by an advertiser in this issue of the JOURNAL, whose address is "Printer: P. O. Box 386, Woburn, Mass." It is a good chance for a job printer.

— Again "the oldest inhabitant" comes to the front. It is not within his memory when grass, frogs and other spring fixings ever pushed ahead and made such rapid progress in growth as they have in the last ten days. And he ought to know.

— Mr. Samuel Butters, the notice of whose death and funeral appears under the appropriate head in the JOURNAL, was born in Woburn 85 years ago, and has lived here a respected member of the community ever since arrival at the years of manhood.

— The prospect for a large creamery at Montvale is encouraging. Several gentlemen of ample means and character have taken hold of the enterprise, from one of whom we learn that no doubt exists as to the establishment of the creamery at an early day.

— The tournament of the polo managers closed at Carter's Academy last Monday evening. The game was handsomely won by Carter's team, who also won the tournament. As a rusher brother Carter has no equals. The next thing will be something else probably.

— The safest way will be this; for all hands to turn in to-morrow and get their dogs licensed. Otherwise, Clerk Seeley or Chief Nelson will make trouble. The venerable editor can truly say with the old lady who had no cow to milk on a rainy night, "blessed be nothing."

— Those people who were foolish enough to take down their stoves and shed their winter under-clothing during the hot spell last week now deeply regret their folly. But they will keep right on doing so year after year despite the lessons of experience and the warnings of friends.

— Horace N. Conn, as a member of the Second Corps of Cadets, did escort duty for Gov. Robinson at the Thackeray Carnival in Mechanics building, Boston, last Tuesday evening, which was a very brilliant affair. The Cadets made a martial and attractive display in their red coats.

— Mr. H. H. Richardson, the Boston architect whose fame is more than country-wide, died at his home in Brookline last Wednesday. He was the architect of our beautiful Public Library, of Trinity Church, Boston, and many of the finest and costliest buildings in this country.

— The Legislative Committee of the Board of Trade who will appear at the legislative hearing on petition for an amendment of the charter of the North Woburn Street Railway may learn when and where the hearing is to be held by referring to the advertising columns of the JOURNAL.

— On last Saturday the Woburn High School B. B. Club played a match game with a picked team with the following result:

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
W. H. S.,	17	0	4	0	2	12	—35
P. T.,	0	0	0	2	0	2	— 4

Rain put a stop to the game.

— The meeting of the First Woburn C. L. S. C., on Tuesday evening was observed as a Shakespeare "Memorial," in honor of the poet the three hundred and twenty-second anniversary of whose birth occurred on Friday last. Extracts from the play of Coriolanus were read, many taking part in the exercise.

— Not many days ago Assistant General Freight Agent of the B. & L. R. R. Co., Mr. Prescott, was looking about Woburn for a house to live in, but failing to find just what he wanted he went to Winchester and is now comfortably domiciled in that very quiet, remarkably dull, but really beautiful village.

— Particular attention is called to the card of Messrs. Leavitt & Sherman photographers, 535 Washington street, Boston, and also to the fact that checks can be bought at Buss's drug store. Everybody knows that these gentlemen are first class artists, that their photographic work stands high, and that they are square dealing.

— About 40 ladies and gentlemen of the First Congregational church went to Reading last Tuesday to attend the annual spring meeting of the Woburn Conference which was held in Bethesda church there. A large number of the delegates went over in Mr. G. F. Jones's barges, for which they had a remarkably fine day.

— Things have settled down into such a condition of quietude that it is really difficult to realize that we have had any labor troubles here. From the absence of idlers on the streets and other tokens of work resumed, it must be that the factories are running on about as usual; that everything is lovely and the goose hangs high.

— The following officers of the Baptist corporation were recently elected for the current year: Clerk and Treasurer, Charlie A. Jones; Collector, F. S. Burgess; Auditor, G. R. Russell; Standing Committee, G. F. Fosdick, D. B. Morrill, John Skinner, Cyrus Lamb, James Brown, G. R. Russell, F. S. Burgess, Thomas Maddison.

— Last Wednesday evening the so-called "Swedish Moody," evangelist, J. Nyvall, from Wermland, Sweden, who is on a Missionary tour through U. S. preached an able sermon in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, to an unusually large congregation. Mr. Nyvall will soon be through his mission in America and will then go back to the Old Country

— The ball given by the St. Charles Total Abstinence Society in Lyceum Hall last Monday was well patronized by an excellent class of people. Very fine music for dancing and marching was furnished by the National Orchestra to which the merry-makers kept time to well towards the breaking of the morning. Everyone said it was a very pleasant party indeed.

— For a few days past an agent of Messrs. Chase and Sanborn, the well-known coffee importers of Boston, has presided over a large, elegant silver urn at the Boston Branch, Fitz and Stanley, proprietors, and furnished cups of rich hot Java and Mocha coffee, free of charge, to all comers. As this gentleman mixes it the compound of coffee, cream and sugar makes a beverage fit for the gods and goddesses, and from the number of persons seen coming out of the Boston Branch gently drawing coat-sleeves athwart their lips it is inferred that the silver urn is well patronized.

— The distance from the Woburn to Winchester railroad depot is just one mile and nine-tenths of a mile, and between the two points, on Main street, here are over 300 buildings. Representative Crane had them enumerated as a fact to submit to the committee of the Legislature in the matter of granting the No. Woburn Street Railway Company charter amendments.

— Notwithstanding all the blowing and striking that has been done about it, it is a long way from being entirely certain that the Centre school house on Common street will be transformed into offices for the town authorities. There are a great many good reasons why such a step should not be taken, and a few why it should. However, we shall see what we shall see, if we live long enough.

— Mr. William F. Kenney, of the Boston *Globe* staff, and member of the Woburn School Board, was seen a few days since seeking a dwelling house. The circumstance would look suspicious were it not that rumor is retailing it about that he is to wed one of Waltham's fair daughters some time in June next, and so house-hunting just at present is about the right thing for him to indulge in.

— A. Cummings's fashion symposium, held on Thursday and Friday of last week, was a very stylish and successful affair. Hundreds of the first ladies of Woburn and surrounding towns discussed the modes in dress and headgear over cups of exhilerating bohea and aromatic mocha in the suit rooms of his establishment on those days, and altogether the symposium was as pleasant as novel.

— Hon. Carroll D. Wright, Chief of the Massachusetts and United States Bureaux of Labor and Statistics, will lecture here within a short time under the auspices of the Board of Trade, the Lecture Committee of which having obtained assurances from him that he will do so. Particularly since the labor troubles have come up Mr. Wright has received many calls to lecture on that and kindred subjects.

— The annual meeting of the Andover and Woburn Branch of the Woman's Board of Missionaries will be held in the First Congregational church in this place on next Thursday, May 6th, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. The reports will come first in order after devotional exercises and then addresses on missionary subjects, some of which are expected to be from people from abroad. The ladies have made preparations for a large company.

— At the annual Parish Meeting held at Trinity Church, April 26, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Senior Warden, Nathan W. Brown; Junior Warden, Robert B. Eaton; Treasurer, Lee E. Ward; Clerk, Stillman B. Hovey; Vestrymen, Charles A. Sweetser, Joseph G. Frampton, Thomas T. Long, Lee E. Ward, Stillman S. Hovey; Delegates to the Diocesan Convention, Robert B. Eaton, Charles W. Davis, Joseph G. Frampton.

— The funeral of Deacon Benjamin Millett took place at the Baptist church on last Sunday afternoon. It was attended by a great many of the neighbors, acquaintances and friends among whom he had lived so long in peace and harmony. The services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. D. D. Winn, and Dr. March, pastor of the Congregational church. Dea. Millett was respected and esteemed when he was alive in the world, and died at a ripe old age deeply lamented.

— President Flint of the Board of Trade spent yesterday afternoon in driving around town and showing building real estate to a gentleman from Lowell who, if he can buy such property at fair figures, will do so and erect a large number of dwelling houses for rent. He is the man we want, and he can't find a better spot in Middlesex county where to invest money in nice cottages with all modern improvements and desirable tenements. There is big cash in such an enterprise.

— Last Monday evening we received from our old friend and former fellow-citizen, Mr. William Kimball of Wilton, N. H., a box of fresh and beautiful trailing arbutus for which that estimable and thoughtful gentleman will please accept our thanks. If there is anything we fairly dote on it is trailing arbutus, or in common tongue, May Flowers, and it was very considerate of friend Kimball to afford us an opportunity to gratify this feeling by forwarding a box of them from the Granite Hills.

— The last select party of the season, which will take place on the evening of May 4th, will present unusual attractions, not only for those who trip the light fantastic toe, but for all admirers of grace, and beauty, in childhood and youth. The charming Bell Dance, taught by Mrs. Buffum, of Chelsea, will be executed by 20 little faries in white. The Mother Goose quadrille, will also be given by 8 young ladies in unique and fancy costumes. Go early to secure a seat. Doors open at quarter past 7.

— Last Saturday Mr. Albert Richardson, postmaster at Montvale, departed this life at the age of 82 years. He had been a resident of Montvale about 45 years and for the first twenty years of that period did business there. In 1863 he was appointed postmaster, and, although a staunch Democrat, has held the office ever since, in the discharge of the duties of which he gave universal satisfaction. Mr. Richardson was a man of sterling traits of character, and wherever known was highly respected.

— Almost every day in the week there are applicants for dwelling houses here from abroad who go back disappointed because the class of tenements which they want are not to be found in the town. Two hundred small single cottages with water, gas, bath rooms, and all the modern improvements that would rent from $18 to $25 a month would find tenants at once. A Boston real estate dealer who lives here says he knows positively of more than 25 families who would come here now to live if they could only get the kind of houses they want, and stay away because none such can be found. Nearly everybody builds double houses, whereas if they would follow the example of West Medford for instance the population of this town would be greatly increased thereby.

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We have Reduced all Goods 10 Per Cent.

We carry through the whole year a large and assorted stock of

FURNITURE AND CARPETS,

And have already received and early invoice of our SPRING STYLES, and can furnish your Parlor, Sitting-room, Dining-room, Kitchen and Chambers, lower than anybody in Boston.
Persons contemplating buying this Spring, should take this opportunity of looking our stock over before the season opens.

CASH OR EASY PAYMENTS.

— Resident Scandinavians enjoyed a good time in the Y. M. C. A. Hall last Friday evening, at which time Rev. J. Westerberg of Cambridgeport delivered an excellent Christian temperance lecture. There was an auction sale of presents from Temple Thor which yielded a good lot of money in aid of temperance work. Fruits and confectionery were on sale, and the hall was finely set out with beautiful plants and flowers from the greenhouses of Stephen Dow, Esq. All were well pleased with the entertainment.

— In view of the legal uncertainties which encompass the restriction on the Littlefield estate on Pleasant street why wouldn't it be a good idea for the town to buy the strip on which the restriction is alleged to lie and widen the street with it? This idea is not original with the JOURNAL, but is a good one notwithstanding. That thrown into the street and a sizable strip on the other side, from the Armory to the R. R. track, and it would make as pretty place—Square, if you please—as ever laid outdoors. The suggestion is worth being seriously considered.

— By reference to the notice of Dr. March's Sunday services it will be seen that a meeting will be held in the Congregational church at 7 o'clock next Sunday evening in behalf of Christian education among the colored people of the South, at which addresses will be made by Rev. Horace Bumstead, D. D., Professor in the Atlanta (Ga.) University; Rev. George L. Chaney of Atlanta, and Rev. Mr. Westall, pastor of the Unitarian church. It will doubtless be a very interesting meeting, and the speakers will feel well if the church is filled with people.

— We have lying on the table before us "A Statement of Receipts and expenditures, etc., of the Town of Woburn, for the Financial year, ending February 19, 1847," which is a genuine semi-historical curiosity. The receipts that year were $14,480.99; highway bills $1,718.26; pauper and almshouse bills, $1,077.37; school, $2,827.54; town officers, etc., $927.88; for engines and horses, $576.61. Mr. William Woodbury, still hale, hearty and in business here, was Town Treasurer. The report covers the year 1846—just 40 years ago—when the town debt was $10,454.05, and the town property amounted to $13,216.16. This is probably the first printed report of the town affairs.

— The costume carnival at Carter's Academy last Wednesday evening was a splendid social event. Some 1,200 people attended it, a considerable number of whom were on the floor in costumes rich, rare and racy. It was a brilliant spectacle for the beholders and a gay and festive occasion for the participants. The music was very fine indeed. The prizes were won as follows: French clock, E. C. Clay; collar box, Lawrence of Somerville; silver cake-basket, Miss F. Marsh; silk umbrella, Miss L. F. Dodge; silver ice-pitcher, Mr. McDermott; gent's smoking set, William Wilmot; fan, Mrs. Dickinson; album, Miss Tebbetts; gent's lamp, C. M. Weymouth; lemonade set, Ida Chase; five-dollar gold piece, W. Mann; fancy mirror, Miss E. McLoud; pongee sunshade, Clara Kean; jewelry case, Nellie Dean; sold pencil, Will Greenlaw; gold bracelets, Maud Fisher.

— There was an agreeable party and real surprise at the residence of Mr. G. F. Fosdick last week Thursday evening. Neither he nor any of the family knew that an affair of the kind at his house was contemplated then or at any other time, but that didn't make any difference, and the party was not only given but it was a good one. Having held the office a good many years Mr. Fosdick declined a re-election to the position of Superintendent of the Baptist Sunday school this year, and on his retirement the teachers and pupils of the school with other friends thought fit to tender him a substantial acknowledgement of the important services he had rendered in his office. So on the evening named they assembled at his residence and presented him with a complete set of Chambers' Encyclopedia consisting of ten volumes—a valuable and appropriate gift. Mr. Blodgett, Mr. Fosdick's successor, presented the volumes in a neat speech, which was handsomely responded to by the surprised and highly gratified recipient. After these exercises a very pleasant evening was spent by the party of friends and family, and on the whole it was a delightful occasion.

Stetson's Shoe Store.

To our readers who buy their foot wear in Boston, we would recommend the Shoe Store of Mr. Stetson as a most excellent place to buy all kinds of Boots or Shoes of a perfectly reliable quality, at prices that cannot fail to be satisfactory. Any lady or gentlemen for from 2 to 3 dollars a pair can purchase from Mr. Stetson a boot or shoe that will give complete wear in every respect. His stock is large and well adapted to suit those who want a good article at a medium price. Stetson's Old Established Stand, 158 Hanover Street, right off the corner of Blackstone.

"I was all run down, and Hood's Sarsaparilla proved just the medicine I needed," write hundreds of people. Take it now. 100 Doses $1.

Town Meeting.

An adjourned Town Meeting was held at Lyceum Hall on last Tuesday evening to finish up and finally dispose of the articles in the Warrant left over from the two preceeding meetings. It was fairly well attended and conducted with good order and a due regard for the importance of the work under consideration. Col. William T. Grammer was the Moderator, and Town Clerk Seeley recorded the proceedings.

The first thing on the docket was the matter of procuring money for use of the town, which took shape in a vote to borrow $12,500 at a rate of interest not to exceed 4 per cent., and to make provision in this year's tax levy for the payment of $1,250 of that sum.

Mr. Marcellus Littlefield introduced an order under Art. 18 of the Warrant to instruct the Town Treasurer and Trustees of the Public Library to release by deed duly executed a restriction on the property of Mrs. Czarina Littlefield placed there by Sylvanus Wood and the former owners of the site on which the Public Library now stands. This called forth much spirited discussion. Dr. Harlow, one of the Library Trustees, read a legal opinion by an eminent Boston lawyer which was to the effect that the town has no power to execute such release, and that it can only be done by the Library Trustees. Mrs. Littlefield has the opinion of equally eminent Boston counsel that the town has a perfect right and may, by vote in open town meeting, release her property from the vapory cloud resting on it. A large majority of the voters liked the latter opinion best and decided to release.

In the matter of the Dr. John Clough bequest to the town, which came up under Art. 19, it was voted to accept the gift, and the same vote directed the Selectmen to procure legal opinions as to the town's right and standing in the matter. And that closed the meeting.

Selectmen's Meeting.

Last Wednesday evening a special meeting of the Board of Selectmen was held at which all the members were present except Mr. Johnson.

The Rules and Regulations of the Board of Health for 1886 were adopted. ——Thomas Mulkeen was appointed Executive Officer of the Board of Health.——B. A. & C. E. Tripp and Lawrence Reade were appointed Undertakers.——The declination of John Maguire as Police Officer was accepted. ——The expenses of Milk Inspector were explained by Inspector Leeds, and matters appertaining thereto were referred to Police Committee.——Application of Timothy Sheehan for billiard, pool and sippio tables was referred to Police Committee.——The bond of Thomas Mulkeen as Constable was approved. ——Petition of R. C. Waters concerning licences was given leave to withdraw.——The petitions of all the lawyers in town, a large number of prominent business men, and many citizens for the reappointment of Bryan McSweeney a Police Officer were laid on the table.——On request of the B. & L. R. R. Co., James Callahan, James M. Callahan, and James Hogan were appointed railroad policemen.——Terrence T. Maguire, Thomas Quinn, Patrick Mullen were appointed Special officers.——John G. Maguire, Esq., was appointed Attorney and Counsellor for the Town for 1886.

A large number of liquor licenses were granted.

Firemen's Elections.

Last Tuesday evening Highland Hose Company elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: Foreman, R. W. King; Assistant Foreman, E. J. Philips; Clerk and Treasurer, E. F. Tebbitts; Steward, A. K. Fetridge; Standing Committee, R. W. King, E. J. Philips, C. B. Fetridge.

Perham Hose Co. No. 1. Foreman, J. S. Adlington; Assistant Foreman, Joseph C. LaRock; Clerk, Amos Langill; Treasurer, Charles A. Wood.

Vidette Hose, No. 2. Foreman, C. B. Greene; Assistant Foreman, B. E. Eaton; Clerk, A. W. Green; Treasurer, J. Thompson; Steward, E. C. Nichols.

John Cummings Hose, No. 3. Foreman, Peter Lafferty; Assistant Foreman, Patrick McCafferty; Clerk, Patrick H. Doherty; Treasurer, Frank Tracy; Steward, James H. Doherty.

Clinton Hose Co. No. 6. Foreman, G. H. Newcomb; Assistant Foreman, W. R. Newcomb; Clerk, G. A. Boutwell; Treasurer, C. J. Dean; Steward, C. E. Searle.

Gilcreast H. & L. No. 1. Foreman, Frank H. Leathe; Assistant Foreman, W. A. Smith; Clerk and Treasurer, George W. Nichols; Steward, B. F. Stevens.

Good Results in Every Case.

D. A. Bradford, wholesale paper dealer of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes, that he was seriously afflicted with a severe cold that settled on his lungs: had tried many remedies without benefit. Being induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, did so and was entirely cured by use of a few bottles. Since which time he has used it in his family for all Coughs and Colds with best results. This is the experience of thousands whose lives have been saved by this Wonderful Discovery.
Trial Bottles free at W. W. Hill's Drug Store.

New Goods!

LADIES'

SPRING SACKS

Received this week from New York.

Also, a large line of DRESS GOODS and DRESS BUTTONS.

Copeland, Bowser & Co.,

147 MAIN STREET.

Woburn, Mass.

The Street Railway Sold.

Last Monday negotiations resulted in the sale of the No. Woburn Street Railway with all its property, franchises, etc., to a syndicate of gentlemen who at once re-organized the Company and chose the following officers:
President, Amos F. Breed, Lynn.
Clerk and Treasurer, F. H. Mouks, Brookline.
Directors, John M. Harlow, Benjamin Hinckley, Gilman F. Jones, Woburn; Freeman A. Loring, Winchester; Edwin C. Foster, Chelsea.

Mr. Breed is President of the Boston and Lynn Street Railway Company and controls over 40 miles of road. He is an energetic, enterprising gentleman of ample means, and has taken hold of this scheme with his accustomed vigor. Mr. Monks is President of the Boston Herdic and Coach Company, a large real estate owner in the city, and has faith in the new purchase. Mr. Loring is senior member of the great tanning firm of Loring & Avery, at Winchester; Mr. Foster is a prominent Chelsea capitalist and business man; and Messrs. Harlow, Hinckley and Jones are leading citizens of Woburn who are known to be sound on the score of money and brains.

The old Company, which virtually consisted of Messrs. Dexter and John R. Carter, turned over the road and its belongings to the new organization, who will inaugurate an improved regime at once. They have a plenty of money and enterprise with which the road will be put into a greatly improved condition, new cars put on, and everything got into first class order. Should the present petition for an amendment of the charter to allow the Company to continue the line to Winchester be favorably acted on by the Legislature, which it is thought will be the case, the present track will be extended to that point within a short time.

The question of whether the line, continued as aforesaid, and even to connect with the Middlesex Company's lines to Boston, will pay a per cent admits of no doubt. Local travel up and down the Mystic Valley will yield a good interest on the amount of money invested, and as time passes the business of the line must of necessity greatly increase. Anybody with half an eye can see it.

The new Company have got another good idea into their heads, and that is a low rate of fare. Tickets between No. Woburn and the Centre will be six cents, or five tickets for twenty-five cents, which is very reasonable and considerable less than the price under the old regime. It is evident that the new Company mean business, and that in the course of a month or so the old No. Woburn Street Railway will be so much improved in every respect that hardly anybody will recognize it at first sight.

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North Woburn.

Rev. C. A. Staples will preach in the Chapel next Sunday evening, at 7 o'clock. An invitation to attend is hereby extended to the public.

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Woburn Conference of Churches.

The Woburn Conference, which was organized in 1842, and comprises the Congregational churches of Bedford, Billerica, Burlington, Carlisle, Lexington, Malden (3), Medford (2), Melrose, Melrose Highlands, North Reading, Reading Old South and Bethesda, Stoneham, Wakefield, Wilmington, Winchester, Woburn First and North, held its Spring Meeting in Bethesda church, Reading, last Tuesday. A statistical report of names, number, membership of churches, contributions, expenditures, etc., was made as is usual at the meetings of the Conference, which showed general prosperity and successful work. There was a large number in attendance at the meeting, and the exercises were interesting and important.

MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Communion service at 2.30 p. m.: Public meeting in the church in behalf of Christian education among the colored people of the South, addresses by Rev. Horace Bumstead, D. D., Professor in the Atlanta University, Rev. George L. Chaney of Atlanta, and Rev. Mr. Westall, at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; Communion service at 3.00 p. m.; Young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; Preaching in church and baptism, at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening, prayer meeting.

UNITARIAN.—Rev Horace Bumstead, D. D., of Atlanta, Ga., will preach at 10 30 a. m.; Communion at 3 p. m.; Meeting at the First Congregational Church at 7 p. m., at which addresses will be made by Rev. Horace Bumstead, D. D., of Atlanta University, Rev. Geo. L. Chaney, and Rev. H. A. Westall. All are invited.

The Scandinavian Evangelical Society, Y. M. C. Rooms. Sunday, preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 m. Praise meeting at 6.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Bible Reading, Friday at 7.30 p. m. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise meeting at 4 o'clock. Boys' meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30. Scandinavian services Sunday at 10.30, Wednesday evening at 7.30. Reading Room open daily from 6.30 to 9.30 p. m., Wednesday excepted. Boys' Branch at 7.45 p. m., on Tuesdays. Sunday 9 a. m. Prayer meeting.

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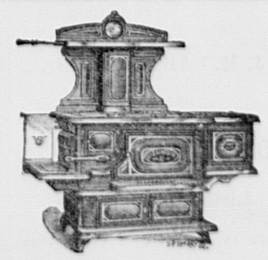
Married.

In Woburn, April 25, by Rev. L. W. Slattery, Joseph R. Manning and Hannah D. Cashman, both of Woburn.
In Woburn, April 25, by Rev. J. Queely, Michael Walsh and Margaret A. Keenan, both of Woburn.
In Winchester, April 28, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. D. D. Winn of Woburn, Mr. Henry B. Lawrence to Miss Minnie W., eldest daughter of Mr. Isaac Dotten, both of Winchester.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, April 22, Charles R. Williams, aged 0 years.
In Woburn, April 29, Mr. Samuel Butters, aged 85 years. Funeral at the residence on Prospect street, at 2 o'clock, Saturday afternoon.
In Montvale, April 24, Albert Lewis Richardson, aged 82 years, 6 months, 8 days.
In North Woburn, April 27, Sarah S. Marston, aged 56 years, 11 months, 17 days.



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WINCHESTER.

John T. Wilson, Esq., will carry his case to the Supreme Judicial Court on exceptions.

Samuel J. Elder, Esq., has been invited by Post 36, G. A. R., to deliver the Memorial Day address, and has accepted.

John C. Lawrence and John Carter are the jurymen for the next term of the Supreme Judicial Court now in session at Lowell.

The correspondent of the Woburn *Advertiser* gives the record of the trial of Counsellor Wilson in the U. S. Court, his conviction, etc., and seems to enjoy it.

The subject for discussion at the Congregational S. S. Teachers meeting last Saturday evening was, "Jesus and Nicodemus." A large number of teachers participated.

Messrs. F. A. Loring and P. W. Swan have been elected to fill the vacancies on the Town House Committee made by the resignation of Messrs. H. A. Emerson and Stephen Thompson.

On next Tuesday evening a town meeting will be held to deliberate and act on the matter of enlarging and furnishing the High School house. The plan involves an expenditure of about $10,000.

Some of our prominent citizens left lately for a trip of a couple of months to California, namely: Mr. J. F. Dwinell and wife, and J. H. Tyler, Esq., Register of Probate for this county. They will doubtless have a pleasant time of it.

The usually calm, always conservative and uncommonly well posted correspondent of the Woburn *Advertiser* rakes Counsellor Wilson over the coals this week for his action on the majority report for locating the Town House in Town Meeting assembled. The correspondent aforesaid should not have expected different conduct from Counsellor Wilson.

Boston *Sunday Globe:* Mr. Twombly has every reason to be proud and happy over the success of his flower and plant show at Horticultural Hall last week. It was universally pronounced by all who visited it—and among them were many flower growers—as the finest of its kind that Boston had ever seen. The arrangement of the foliage, plants and flowers was extremely artistic, and showed refined taste in every detail. In the evening, with the electric lights, Mr. Baldwin's fine music and an exceptional company present, it was a charming place to find one's self in. Among those who visited the hall during the three days of the show were Robert C. Winthrop, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Cushing, Dr. Borland, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Sargent, Mr. Herbert Wadsworth, Mr. Marshall P. Wilder, Mr. Frank Amory, Miss Grace Minot, Miss Warren Mr. Edward Burnett, Mr. J. G. Minot, Mr. Thomas Russell, 2d, Mrs. S. V. R. Thayer, Mr. Frank Parker, Mrs. James Lawrence, Mrs. James Lodge, Mrs. John L. Gardner and Mrs. E. Rollins Morse.

BURLINGTON.

On Thursday evening of last week, the Literary Union held a business meeting, at the church. A vote of thanks to the A. H. S. T. Club of Arlington, for the benefit entertainment recently given by them to the Union was passed and also a similar vote to Mr. J. W. Hutchinson and other who assisted in the preparations for the entertainment. The Union then adjourned for the season.

The Easter concert, announced for last Sunday evening was postponed, on account of sickness in the family of the organist.

The committee chosen to visit the churches in this vicinity to obtain instruction in regard to the proposed repairs on the Burlington church, have, this week, viewed churches at Wakefield, Melrose Highlands, Arlington Heights and Lexington.

A special town meeting was held, Tuesday night at the Town Hall. C. G. Foster presided as Moderator. The articles relating to the repairing or rebuilding of the North schoolhouse were dismissed. It was voted that certain lots in the cemetery should be reserved.

Easter services were held at the church, Sunday morning. The church was tastefully decorated with plants and flowers by C. H. Walker.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS., April 15.

"I have been sick with pleurisy and pneumonia. It left me with a very hard, hacking cough. A friend advised me to try Adamson's Cough Balsam, one bottle did me more good than all the doctors and medicines I have tried; and I shall recommend it." Mary A. Brockwell.

Wilmington.

Mrs. Dr. Hiller has set out a row of maples at her own expense the entire length of the new extension of the cemetery each side of the avenue. She has also graded her lot and graveled the walks. It is reported that she is to build a mausoleum which will be an ornament to the cemetery.

It is reported that Mr. Horace Sheldon has bought two of Arthur B. Eames's thoroughbred Jerseys. The price paid we did not learn. Mr. Eames has three more to sell whose pedigree will compare with any others in the county.

Mr. Myron Woodbury while at work for Mr. Lawrence C. Swain last Monday forenoon with a horse and cart was thrown down by the horse suddenly starting, and had his arm broken near the elbow. Dr. Buzzell was called and ordered him carried to the Massachusetts General Hospital.

Dea. Sheldon starts Monday May 3, with a large drove of cattle of all ages for his pasture in Washington, New Hampshire.

Mr. Arthur B. Eames has leased the old "Sewall Buck" pasture in the west part of the town and intends pasturing some of his Jerseys there the coming season.

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The Board of Trade.

On last Friday evening the Woburn Board of Trade held its annual meeting for the election of officers. There were present a large number of members and the spirit that prevailed was of the most encouraging character. At no time since its organization has a livelier interest been manifested in everything pertaining to the Board and the well-being of the town than on this occasion of the annual election. This was clearly demonstrated in the attempted amendment of the constitution of the society by which to change the times of holding general meetings from once a month to once a quarter. The committee recommended the change and their report was accepted, but on motion of Col. W. T. Grammar and after a stirring speech from him the vote was reconsidered and the amendment rejected unanimously.

President James Skinner presided, and Mr. F. H. Lewis was chosen Secretary. The committee on the annual celebration, Messrs. F. H. Lewis, C. M. Strout and W. W. Hill, made a final report which was adopted after adding to it a vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lewis for their valuable musical contributions on the occasion. The affair was pronounced by all a splendid success and one long to be pleasantly remembered.

Messrs. Horace N. Conn, E. H. Loundsbury, John I. Munroe, Edward Simonds and Cyrus Lamb were proposed for membership and unanimously voted in. Which suggests the fact that others are waiting for an opportunity to join the organization. The prospect for a large increase of membership is bright, and as the admission fee has been reduced to $5.00 it is confidently expected the Board will number 300 within a few weeks. The good work which it has accomplished during the first year of its existance; the popularity of the society; the prospects for future usefulness; and a desire on the part of everyone to see the town go ahead and prosper, will soon bring about the result indicated in the foregoing paragraph. The question of changing the regular meetings from monthly to quarterly was discussed by Col. W. T. Grammer, Thomas H. Hill, Capt. J. P. Crane, Major H. C. Hall, Messrs. Benjamin Hinckley, E. Everett Thompson, W. W. Hill, F. H. Lewis, and others, the President's voice being heard at times.

Hon. B. F. Wittemore reported for the committee on nominations chosen at a previous meeting, and his report was accepted. The officers were chosen by ballot, for each one of which, on motion of Mr. Hinckley, a single member was empowered to cast the whole vote of the meeting, and the following were elected for the ensuing year: President, Frederic A. Flint; Vice-Presidents, James Skinner, Jacob Brown, Griffin Place; Secretary, Horace N. Conn; Treasurer, Edward Everett Thompson; Executive Committee; N. J. Simonds, Eustice Cummings, Gilman F. Jones, John G. Maguire, Frederick H. Lewis, George Buchanan, Joseph B. McDonald, William Ellard, William T. Grammer, Ware B. Gay, B. F. Whittemore, William W. Hill, W. N. Titus, John P. Crane, Richard Morris, Benjamin Hinckley, B. F. Kemball, C. Willard Smith, John C. Buck, Charles M. Strout, Geo. A. Hobbs, Alexander Grant, John Murdock, F. S. Burgess

President Skinner surrended the chair to Mr. Flint and accompanied the act with some good, sound thoughts, to which the new President responded in graceful terms and thanked the Board for the honor conferred on him. Mr. Conn, on taking the Secretary's desk, returned thanks for the confidence and respect of the members. Previously Col. Grammer made the speech of the evening, in which he paid a glowing tribute to the retiring President, Mr. Skinner, as an officer of the Board, a citizen, and a man. The Colonel was at his best and his warm words of praise for Mr. Skinner, for the organization, for his associates on the Board, and of respect for the old town, were enthusiastically applauded all the way through.

The meeting was a good one. On every hand assurances of hearty co-operation in every enterprise inaugurated for the advancement of the best interests of the town were volunteered. Prominent members pledged labor, time and money for the general good of the Board and its work, and on the whole everybody felt that a new year had been entered on in the most hopeful and encouraging spirit. Everyone too expects great things from the Board during the term of the present officers.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING.

The new Executive Committee met in the Rooms of the Board on Tuesday evening last and organized into sub-committees. Nathan J. Simonds, Esq., of course, was retained as Chairman of the Committee. He fills the bill admirably. Almost always present at the meetings, prompt in the dispatch of business, courteous to all, patient to listen, and deeply interested in the work of the Board, his retention as Chairman was an act of good judgment, and a well-deserved compliment to an efficient officer and honorable man.

At the opening of the meeting the name Mr. Ward W. Hart was proposed for membership, and unanimously accepted. The Board can't have too many members like Mr. Hart—in fact, the more of them they secure the better.

On motion of Mr. James Skinner a committee, consisting of James Skinner, F. A. Flint, and W. W. Hill, were appointed to make up a list of sub-committes for the ensuing year. The committee retired and in about three-quarters of an hour returned and made their report, which was adopted without a dissenting voice. Mr. Edward Simonds was elected Janitor and his salary fixed, and also the salary of Secretary Conn. Some matters of importance were parcelled out to committees by Chairman Simonds, after which several subjects closely allied to the interests of the town were discussed and preparations made to act on them. It was thought advisable, and Mr. Jacob Brown's Committee on Legislation will appear at the State House next Tuesday to attend the hearing concerning the charter of the No. Woburn Street Railway.

A genuine business spirit had possession of the meeting, and it was plain enough to be seen that the Executive Committee mean to do good work this year, and a heap of it.

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Easter Services.

At all the churches in this village appropriate and interesting Easter services were held last Sunday, and in the evening Easter Sunday School concerts were given at the most of them. The choirs of each provided special and excellent music for the day, and the theme of the pastors was The Resurrection. The weather was delightful. The sun shone bright and glorious all day long, and its rays, which at high noon kissed the earth with almost mid-summer ardor, were gratefully tempered by a gentle east wind with just the least suspicion of salt spray in it, and the few fleecy clouds that silently sailed athwart the firmament only enhanced the charm of the etherial picture.

The Sunday school concert at the Baptist church was conducted by Superintendent Blodgett and proved a very pleasant and interesting one. There were exercises in reading, declamation, etc., by the children, address by the pastor, and the music was very fine. It was one of the best Easter concerts ever given by the school.

At the Unitarian church the Easter concert was a good one. A choir of twenty young ladies dressed in pure white looked beautiful and made excellent music, and the Sunday school scholars acquitted themselves in the best manner. Mr. Westall, the pastor and Superintendent, made a good address, and the concert was well attended.

Superintendent Pollard and Assistant Thompson conducted the Easter concert at the Congregational church, which was very well filled with interested spectators. There was a great deal of music, selected with good judgment and well executed by a chorus choir of twenty-five; besides which the little ones gave some pieces in good style. Music was the principal feature of the concert and there wasn't a bit too much of it. The story of The Resurrection was read in parts by different pupils; Dr. March made an address. All the exercises were very interesting.

There was no concert at the Methodist church.

Japanese Letters.

Boston Globe: "A reader of the *Globe* named Talbot sent me a box of 'Hak-ka' for Hay Fever. I have had seven years of sneezing, coughing, swearing, and this August it began more virulent than ever. I used Talbot's 'Hak-ka' three times, and although the fever was at the high tide of successful demoralization, I haven't sneezed but twice since, and that was two days ago. I don't know Talbot, I never saw Talbot; but he ought to become a millionaire in one season."

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of the day." C. E. Upton, Nashua, N. H., writes: "For a number of years I was troubled with a humor in my eyes, and unable to obtain relief until I commenced using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I have taken several bottles, am greatly benefited, and believe it to be the best of blood purifiers." R. Harris, Creel City, Ramsey Co., Dakota, writes: "I have been an intense sufferer, with Dyspepsia, for the past three years. Six months ago I began to use

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TOWN OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 29, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that DOMINICK DONAHOE has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at store in building on southerly side of Montvale Avenue, corner of Albany street, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded northerly by Montvale Avenue; easterly by Albany street; southerly by land of Patrick Rafferty, and westerly by land of Hugh Rafferty.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 29, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JOHN MCGOVERN, has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as common victualer of the first class, at McMurray building, so-called, on northerly side of Fowle street, in said Woburn, in front room on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded easterly and westerly by other land of said McMurray; northerly by land of Theophilus King, Jr., and southerly by said Fowle street.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 29, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that NEAL QUINN has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class, at Doherty building, so called, on easterly side of Burlington street, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded northerly by land of James Doherty; easterly by land of W. A. Colegate; southerly by land of John Johnson, and westerly by said Burlington street.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, April 29, 1886.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JANE BUCKLEY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as an Inn-holder of the first class, at her building, situated on the easterly side of Middlesex street between the estates of Daniel Coughlin and John Shinkwin and numbered one on said Middlesex street, in said Woburn, in all the rooms and also in the basement of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

MAY PARTY.

The Annual May Party and Dance, under the auspices of the UNITARIAN LADIES' CHARITABLE SOCIETY of Woburn, will be given in

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Tuesday Evening, May 4, 1886.

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STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, April 22, 1886.

The Committe on Street Railways will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of the directors of the North Woburn Street Railroad Company for an amendment to its charter giving said company the right to extend its tracks into other parts of the town of Woburn than that named in its charter, and also for permission to extend its tracks into the town of Winchester, at room No. 16, State House, on Tuesday, May 4, at 10.30 o'clock, A. M.

E. C. MILLIKEN, Chairman.

GEORGE J. BURNS, Clerk of the Committee

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Extracts from the Public Statutes of Massachusetts, Chapter 80:

"The Board of Health shall make such regulations as it judges necessary for the public health and safety. Whoever violates any such regulations shall forfeit a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars."

In compliance with the foregoing statutory provisions and believing that a great amount of good may be done by timely and energetic abatement of all nuisances, the Board of Health of the town hereby issue the following regulations:—

REGULATION 1.—Ordered that all putrid or decaying vegetables or animal matter be removed forthwith from all vaults, privies, cellars and out-houses, and either buried or deposited at least ten rods from any highway, dwelling-house or public building in this town, and covered with dry earth.

REG. 2.—Ordered that the contents of all privy vaults and cess-pools in the thickly-populated districts of this town shall be removed during the night time, *viz:* between the hours of ten o'clock, P. M., and four o'clock, A. M., and that all persons so removing night-soil or refuse of any kind which emits an offensive odor, must have their carts tight to prevent leakage, and effectually covered and not stopped more than five minutes on any street within ten rods of any dwelling-house, except for loading and unloading; and no person shall empty any cess-poll or closet without the consent of the Board of Health.

REG. 3.—The Board will order the removal of all swine, goats, or other animals where their presence appears to be prejudical to the public health and comfort.

REG. 4.—Ordered that no privy vaults be opened except for purposes of disinfection, or by consent of the Board of Health.

REG. 5.—Ordered that all tanneries, glue manufactories or other manufactories from which arise an offensive odor, be kept clean and covered receptacles be provided by the proprietors for the deposits of filth that flow from them.

REG. 6.—Ordered that all slaughter-houses be kept clean and that all the offal therein be removed daily.

REG 7.—Ordered that no fish, garbage, house or store offal, water or brine containing blood, refuse animal or vegetable matter, shall be thrown upon or into any street, lane, yard, or gutter, and that all persons are hereby notified to desist from such practices and ordered to deposit the same in tight vessels having a tight-fitting cover, and if not properly buried on the premises the same shall be removed not less often than once every forty-eight hours, at least ten rods from any house or highway and covered with dry earth.

REG. 8.—Ordered that there shall not be sold or offered for sale any deseased or unripe fruit, or decayed or unfit meat, or adulterated milk, or milk from improperly fed or diseased animals.

REG. 9.—Ordered that no sink or sewer drain or water closet shall empty into any street gutter, or upon the surface of any sidewalk, street, alley or lane in this town.

REG. 10.—Ordered when any physician is called to attend upon a person in this town sick with small-pox, scarletina, or other contagious disease dangerous to the public health, the said physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Board of Health. Said notice shall contain the name of the person sick, the name of the disease, the name of the householder, and the street on which the sick person resides, and all physicians are requested to immediately report f-tal termination of any case.

REG. 11.—Any householder in whose family any case of contagious disease occurs, shall immediately give notice to the Board of Health, and use all reasonable measure to prevent infection of others.

REG. 12.—No owner or occupant of any dwelling-house in the town of Woburn, shall keep or permit to be kept, any fowl, swine, goats or other animals, in any room or cellar of said dwelling.

REG 13.—Parties can have their vaults and cesspools cleaned by leaving their order and $2.00 for each with the Chief of Police; where more than one vault is to be taken from each vault or cess-pool $2.00 for each load must be left. No order will be received without the money accompanying it.

The inhabitants are earnestly requested to co-operate with the Board in carrying out the foregoing regulations and thereby secure healthy sanitary conditions.

The Board takes the liberty to suggest further that the people avoid the unnecessary use of water, which, in the absence of proper drainage will saturate the soil in the vicinity of their houses to a dangerous degree; and also to suggest the daily use of dry earth or sifted ashes to cover the contents of privies, or open receptacles of sink water, to absorb poisonous gases and p event exhalations.

Whereas the diseases designated as small-pox, scarlet fever, diphtheria typhus fever and cholera are contagious and dangerous to the public health, and have been, and may easily be, contracted at funerals from dead bodies or apartments which have been infected by such diseases. It is therefore ordered, that from and after this date, no public funeral shall be held over the remains of any person having died of small-pox scarlet fever, diphtheria, cholera or typhus fever without the written permit of the Board of Health; and under such regulations as may prevent the spread of said diseases.

Ordered, further, that the remains of persons dying of either of said diseases, shall at once be placed in a tight or sealed coffin, and shall not thereafter be exposed to view or disturbed except for burial.

Ordered that no owner, driver, or o her person having charge of any hackney carriage or other closed vehicle used as a public conveyance shall receive, or permit to be placed, or convey in any manner, in or upon said carriage or other vehicle, any person sick or infected with small-pox or any other contagious disease, or the body of any person who has died of small-pox or any other contagious disease.

The Board of Health directs especial attention to small-pox, scarlet fever, diphtheria and typhus fever as being contagious, dangerous to the public health, and call attention to the duties of citizens and physicians as provided by Public Statutes.

The Board is fully aware that many individual cases of diphtheria and other contagious diseases occur without any spread of the disease; but during epidemics at least the rule is to the contrary, and there are no means of knowing what is safe, without taking precautions which a different course might, occasionally have proved to be unnecessary. They therefore at this time publish the sections of the law governing such cases, and hold all persons interested responsible. It is further desired that physicians should fill out the postal cards furnished by this Board.

SEC. 78.—When a householder knows that a person within his family is taken sick of - - any - - disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the - - Board of Health of the town in which he dwells. If he refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars.

SEC. 79.—When a physician knows that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with - - any disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the - - Board of Health of the town; and if he refuses or neglects to give such notice he shall forfeit for each offence a sum not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars.

Per order of the Board of Health

THOMAS H. HILL, CLERK.

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Mr. Benj. F. Lightfoot, Dramatic Reader.

Olympian Male Quartette of Providence, R. I.

Mrs. Louisa Mars, Accompanist.

Admission 35 cents. Reserved Seats 50 cents. Children 15 and 25 cents.

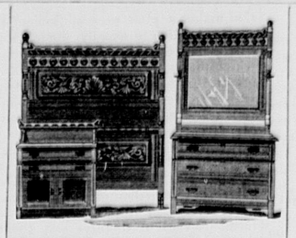
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PRIOR & MANN.

Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a license from the Hon. Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, I shall sell at public auction, on the premises, on Tuesday, the eighteenth day of May, A. D. 1886, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land situated in Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, on the southerly side of Montvale Avenue, and bounded:—Beginning on said Avenue, at land of Rebecca P. Flagg; thence southerly, by said land and land of Mary E. Pearsons, about 180 feet, to a stake; thence easterly, by land of said Pearsons and land of Mrs. Bean, about 124 3-10 feet, to stake; thence southerly, by lands of Linnell, Kingsman, Burke, Hindle, Sawtelle, Eager and Henry K. White, about 585 8-10 feet, to a stake; thence westerly, by land of Pollard, 148 9-10 feet, by the wall to a corner of the wall; thence a little west of north, by land of Flagg, about 475 5-10 feet, to a stake at the wall at the late homestead of Charles S. White; thence easterly, by said homestead, about 109 9-10 feet to a stake; thence northerly, by said homestead, about 350 feet, to said Avenue; thence easterly, on said Avenue, 20 feet, to the point of beginning. Said premises are in the neighborhood of fine residences, and afford beautiful views of the surrounding country. Terms at sale.

LEWIS L. WHITNEY, Executor
of the Will of Charles S. White.

WM. WINN & CO., Auctioneers.

Woburn, April 23, 1886.

NOTICE

To Owners and Keepers of Dogs.



All Dog Licenses expire APRIL 30, 1886. Persons wishing to retain their numbers, are requested to take DUE NOTICE and govern themselves accordingly.

M. S. SEELEY, Town Clerk,
213 Main Street.

Woburn, April 22, 1886.

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Trustees' Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a license granted by the Judge of the Probate Court, in and for the County of Middlesex, the subscribers, trustees of the estate of Oliver Bacon, deceased, will sell at public auction, MAY 11, 1886, at 2 o'clock, P. M., on the respective premises, a tract of land, situated in Woburn, on the northerly side of Pleasant street, being lots Nos. 1 to 17 inclusive, on a plan of house lots; also, lot No. 19, on said plan; also a lot shown on said plan not numbered, but bounded southerly on Reed street, easterly on land of the Town of Woburn, northerly on land of A. S. Wood, westerly on lots 10 and 11 on said plan. Also, a lot of land, situated in said Woburn, and bounded westerly on a private street leading from Eastern Avenue to Montvale Avenue, southerly by land formerly of S. O. Pollard & Co., easterly and northerly by land now, or formerly of Flagg, or however otherwise bounded or described.

JOHN JOHNSON,
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Trustees of the Estate of Oliver Bacon.

Woburn, April 20, 1886.

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I regard Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam the best medicine. W. W. PERRY, Cam

Woman's Column.

Municipal Suffrage.

Why should women not vote in all town and city elections?

The city of Providence taxes property of women amounting to $39,250,000, about one-third of the individual assessment of the city.

When we seriously attempt to show that a woman who pays taxes ought not to have a voice in the manner in which the taxes are expended, that a woman whose property and liberty and person are controlled by the laws should have no voice in framing those laws, it is not easy. If women are fit to rule in monarchies, it is difficult to say why they are not qualified to vote in a republic.—Hon. H. B. Anthony, R. I.

It seems a first principle, an axiom, that every householder, or tax-payer should have a voice in electing those who spend the money we pay, including as this does, interests the most vital to a human being.—Florence Nightingale.

The men of Massachusetts are taking away from its women at least two millions a year without asking their leave or allowing them to say what shall be done with it. I cannot find a reason for refusing suffrage to women. I am ashamed to argue it. I do not know any words with which to argue it because I cannot find anywhere a shred of common sense to oppose to it.—Rev. M. J. Savage.

Some people say that women are represented at the ballot boxes but when a woman commits a crime no man steps forward to take her place.—Sarah M. Perkins.

No such phrase as virtual representation is known in law or constitution. It is altogether a subtlety and illusion wholly unfounded and absurd.—James Otis.

"First, in the sexes' intermixed connection
One sacred right of woman is protection."
—Burns.

It has always been the right of men to protect women except from themselves. Women want the ballot for temperance and social purity.—Clara M. Colby.

It is estimated that there are 800,000 drunkards in the United States.

In the city of Boston, two years ago, there were on an average fifteen cases of wife-beating reported to the chief of police each week.

The object of town and city government is or should be, mainly for the protection of homes. Our cities do not wage foreign wars or conduct diplomatic relations, but they do control almost every detail of our domestic life. Shall we have our houses of wood to invite conflagration? shall our sidewalks be safe and comfortable? shall our schoolhouses be clean and wholesome? and a thousand similar questions are decided by them. * * * * * The town is only an enlarged household, and the same qualities of care and thrift and attention to details which women are constantly called upon to exercise in their households, are needed in the town. In the household men and women work well in union; why not in the town?—Ednah Cheney.

Not long ago, the mayor of Louisville, Ky., entered upon an active campaign against the gamblers of that city. He was brought to a standstill by a petition of prominent citizens, who begged him to desist, on the ground that the commercial interests of that city would suffer if the gamblers were interfered with. Trade would go elsewhere if traders who came to Louisville on business could not amuse themselves during their stay. A similar remonstrance from prominent citizens confronted the mayor of St. Paul a few years ago, when he made an effort to break up certain houses of ill-fame. In this case the business interests of the city furnished the plea. * * * * Now, it is the business of most women to bring up a family to be good and useful citizens, and as a rule they are trying to do it. Their votes would be almost a unit against everything which they reoguize as dangerous to their children.—*Woman's Journal.*

What public affairs need in the State is conscience, and woman is the conscience of the race.—George W. Curtis.

In regard to these contral points touching our peace and purity, in regard to a matter which lies so close to the home and the fireside, I maintain that in Municipal Suffrage we ought to count the vote of resident, intelligent, tax-paying women.—Joseph Cook.

In my judgment woman suffrage and the temperance reform are the two great questions of the age. Not necessarily connected they sustain each other, and whichever comes first, the other must quickly follow.—Rev. W. G. Eliot, D. D.

The *Mirror* of Seattle, Washington Territory, commenting apon an election destined to become historic, says, "It was the first in the city where the women could vote, and the first when the gambling and liquor fraternity, which had so long controlled the municipal government to enormous extent, suffered defeat."

If our legislators seriously object to giving the elective franchise to vicious women, notwithstanding the same class of men have the ballot, then let them bestow it upon all intelligent and worthy women in the State and exclude the low, vicious, drunken classes whose political influence is so much feared by the opponents of Woman Suffrage.—Rev. D. P. Livermore.

A Beautiful Easter Card.

The Virgin Salt Co., of New Haven, Conn., are making a grand offer to introduce their salt. Go and ask your grocer for Virgin Salt and get an elegant Easter Card. In addition we offer an extra inducement: a pair of Doves beautifully lithographed in in ten colors, as natural as life, on a large card 9x10 inches. Virgin Salt is the cleanest, purest and whitest salt ever seen or used. A large package costs only 10 cents.

A new town in Kansas has been named Tribune in honor of Horace Greeley.

To Prevent Small Pox.

To the Editor of the Journal:

A sure preventive of Small Pox without vaccination, may be found in Dr. R. C. Flower's Nerve Pills, prepared by the Flower Medicine Co., and sold by all druggists.

This has been proven by practical experience during one of the most dreadful epidemics of this disease ever known in America. M. D.

LITERARY NOTICES.

THE COTTAGE HEARTH for May has found its way to our table in due season and fresh condition. The numbers of this popular magazine are uniformly good, readable and entertaining and the May issue is not an exception to the rule. Some of the contents are finely illustrated; there is new music; the fashions are freshly treated; and the stories, poetry, sketches, etc., are interesting. The reader will please make a note of our offer of THE COTTAGE HEARTH with the JOURNAL found on another page.

OUR LITTLE ONES, published by the Russell Publishing Company, Boston, is a great favorite with the young people. The May number is a very beautiful one. Every page contains a bright spring-time picture, and then there are stories and a great many other things which will delight their numerous readers. One need only go through the brilliant pages of the May number of OUR LITTLE ONES to determine the cause of its wonderful popularity.

The numbers of THE LIVING AGE for April 10th and 17th contain The Relations of History and Geography, About Kensington Gore, and The Rosettis, In French Prisons, Ireland under her own Parliament, Musings without Method, A Pilgrimage to Sinai, Reminiscencies of my Later Life, Jewish Folk-Medicine, Lying as a Fine Art, Dutch Skating Grounds, Queen Victoria's Keys, Of the Writing of Letters, Indian Death Customs, with instalments of Ambrose Malet, The Haunted Jungle, and the Light at the Farmhouse, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4.00 monthlies or weeklies with THE LIVING AGE for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

Hawthorne's Philosophy is the article which will first catch the attention of many readers of the MAY CENTURY, partly because his personality is one of lasting interest, and also for the reason that his son, who writes the paper, has an intimate philosophical way of appreciating the elder's genius. In the frontispiece portrait, after a daguerreotype, we have the novelist as he appeared, with clean-shaven face, in 1848, while he was surveyor in the Salem Custom-house. With the article appears, also, a portrait from a photograph taken about 1862. Other articles in this excellent number are: Immortality and Modern Thought, American Country Dwellings, The Flour Mills of Minneapolis, A Californian's Gift to Science, The Breeding of Fancy Pigeons, several very interesting War Papers, illustrated, The Minister's Charge, Perturbed Spirits, Iduna, Topics of the Times, Open Letters, Bric-a-brac, and others. A large number of these papers are splendidly illustrated.

May is the month of buds and blossoms, in the almanac at least; and the May ST. NICHOLAS comes like a nosegay of spring flowers. Rose Kingsley opens the number with When Shakspere was a Boy, which is beautifully illustrated by Alfred Parsons, and by Leon Moran's frontispiece. Spring poetry finds its place in the magazine, and there could be scarcely anything fresher than Spring Beauties, Easter Carol, and the May Song. Talks about flowers are timely, and doubly interesting when they deal with such exotics as the Lace-leaf, the Caricature plant, and the Vegetable Clothing. Readers with a mechanical turn will be interested in The Handiwork of Some Clever School-boys, The Girls' Tricycle Club will be enjoyed by boys and girls alike who delight in out-door life exercise. Dog Stories contains anecdotes by E. P. Roe, John R. Coryell, and Charlotte M. Vaile. Then the Brownies try roller skating; Mrs. Burnett tells how Little Lord Fauntleroy went to church; Horace E. Scudder tells how George Washington went to the first Continental Congress, and Henry Eckford tells more Wonders of the Alphabet. There are the usual departments, and many other bright articles and pictures.

WIDE AWAKE for May opens with a charming frontispiece of springtime, A Sudden Shower, followed by A Century Plant, one of the best poems that ever came from the pen of James Berry Bensel. A delightful story follows, The Top of the Ladder, illustrated by Taylor. The Professor's Last Skate is a good true story of adventure from a young Canadian writer, and Prescott's Capture is a good true story of the American Revolution, by Mrs. Katharine B. Foot. E. S. Brooks contributes A Roman May-day, of the times of the Emperor Commodus; Howard Pyle accompanies it with a powerful drawing. Mrs. Fremont describes the visit of one hundred and twenty-nine midshipmen to Paris and the Tomb of Napoleon, and M. E. R. has A Birthday Party in the West Indies. Mrs. John Sherwood has a pair of Royal Girls this time. In striking contrast stands Mr. Hooper's Grand Peace Meet, in which he describes a ceremonious festivity of the Sioux and Chippewas of which he was a witness; he has illustrated the article with a dozen graphic pictures. Nora Perry has The Children's Cherry Feast, with seven very beautiful full-page drawings by George Foster Barnes. Helen Gray Cone contributes Wool Gathering, Mrs. Clara Doty Bates is represented by Calling Voices and M. E. B. writes the text for Hassam's fine drawings of a Roman youth and maiden in Youth In Twelve Centuries. There is much other miscellany of letter-press and picture in the number. $3.00 a year. D. Lothrop & Co., Publishers, Boston.

The POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY for May contains a very able opening article by Mr. Arthur T. Hadley, of Yale College, on The Difficulties of Railroad Regulation. The Hon. David A. Wells has a second article of his Economic Study of Mexico. M. de Candolle on the production of Scientific Men is a review and summary of the conclusions which have been reached after careful study of the conditions—of climate, nationality, social influences, heredity, education, religion, and political environment—which favor or impede the genesis and growth of men addicted to original studies in science. Pertinent to the educational discussion is also Development of the Moral Faculty. The problem of Crystallization makes a plain presentation of the subject, which is usually made knotty with technicalities of the manner in which the crystallizing forces work to produce regular forms. Mr. Joseph Dawson describes How Alcoholic Liquors are made in actual practice. Mr. Herbert Spencer gives The Factors of Organic Evolution. Dr. J. Burney Yeo tells of the Influence of Food Accessories. Dr. Hermann Y. Klein describes the method of Photographing the Heavens. Philip Gilbert Hamerton furnishes Care of Pictures and Prints. An interesting article is given on The Science of Flat-Fish, or Soles and Turbot. M. A. Hovelacque has a study of The Evolution of Language. The subject of the portrait and biographical sketch is Mr. Francis Galton. The editor, in Charity and Sentimentality, enforces the propriety of exacting from the managers of benevolent institutions full reports of their operations. New York: D. Appleton & Company. Fifty cents a number, $5 a year.

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Mrs. Gen. Fremont has taken a house at Washington and will remain a year among her old friends at the capital.

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Our Dumb Friends.

Mr. Hadley, the chairman of the Game-laws Committee in the New York Assembly, has introduced a bill which does not shrink from stating its purpose plainly. It is intended "to prohibit women from encouraging the butchering of plumage birds by wearing them on their bonnets." The bill makes it unlawful for five years to kill or to take in any way any song-bird, except only when the tuneful libertines are caught in the very act of destroying fruit. The bill outlaws the poor English sparrow, who is treated as a pirate of the air—the enemy of birds and man. Already women are stigmatized as of "the dead-bird-wearing sex" and the American Ornithologist's Union is wisely and forcibly raising the alarm to turn out and prohibit the widespread and wanton slaughter Mr. Bergh's appeal for suffering animals has opened a new and beautiful chapter in the history of humane endeavor, and his work has made the relief of the birds more practicable. After Bergh's well-won success, to save the "living blossoms of the air" from being sacrificed to a savage human vanity will not seem to be a sentimental fancy. But let us hope that humanity will begin at home, and that every intelligent woman, now that the question is raised, will refuse to disfigure herself with a dead bird.

The American Humane Association directs the attention of the public to the barbarities and abuses continually being practised in various portions of the country, and oftentimes in localities and cities which are deemed very highly civilized. In order that the friends of the defenceless and helpless may know the extent of this evil, and devise measures for their relief, mention is here made of some of the existing cruelties:

Animals in freezing and starving condition, in exposed localities on the Western plains.

Animals so horribly burned on their bodies through careless branding as to make wounds that never heal.

Animals severely wounded and tortured by clubs and long, sharp iron prods, when being on stock cars.

Animals so cruelly crowded, trampled, starved and kept without water, when transported long distances by rail to market, as to make their meat unfit for food.

Horses compelled to endure excruciating torture by the over-check and other highcheck rains, through the ignorance and pride of thoughtless drivers.

Dogs and cats driven to desperation and madness from want of water.

Horses ruined in health and limb through being overloaded, lack of food and improper feeding.

Old, galled, crippled horses, ill-fed, over-loaded, and generally abused by hard masters.

Cows compelled, through the penuriousness of their owners, to run the streets, in many cities and villages, quenching thirst from mud puddles, pounded by clubs, beaten by stones and mutilated by dogs when driven from yards into which the animals force themselves because of hunger.

Calves with feet tied and tortured, while being transported long distances, in distressed position, over rough roads, by butchers and others.

Fine horses, outrageously high-checked and brutally overdriden by drunken, careless and cruel drivers.

Pigeons wantonly wounded, mutilated and allowed to linger hours before death comes to their relief, at shooting tournaments.

Horses left standing in exposed positions, through severe storms, without covering.

Beautiful song and useful birds needlessly slaughtered by men and boys for sport.

Insects, birds and animals of various kinds cruelly put to death by thoughtless persons, when a little care would make death less painful.

The cruelty and savage instinct aroused by pugilism, cock and dog fighting.

The useless, barbarious cruelty inflicted on hares and foxes in allowing them to be chased and hunted by hounds for hours, as a sport.

The deplorable condition of the horse, no longer useful, turned loose to starve and die.

Alive to Their Responsibilities.

The Washington gossip tells these little stories:—There are two little bits of gossip floating around, growing out of the overweening desire of newly-fledged fashionables to show how much they know, which are decidedly relished by those who can enjoy such things. At a lunch last week a distinguished prelate who sat next to a young lady who is spending her first winter in the capital, and who was eating his ices with a spoon, was for a moment struck dumb by her remark, loud enough to be heard by others. "Oh, why don't you use a fork? It isn't polite to eat ices with a sopon." When he had recovered his breath, this beloved father in the church replied in the softest and most amiable tone: "My dear child, I am sorry it is not nice; but I was brought up to eat ices with a spoon, and unfortunately I am too old to forget."

The other incident was at a dinner. An army officer of high rank, while engaged in an animated conversation with his vis-a-vis, inadvertently stuck a three-pronged fork into his oysters. The hostess immediately cried out, "Oh, General, use the smaller fork." From the grim look that settled upon the features of that warrior it might be fancied that he was preparing for a battle charge, but he said ne'er a word, and he did not tarry long after the dinner.

A Public Benefaction.

How to laundry linen as it is done in Troy, N. Y., has been kept a secret long enough; it can and should be done in every family. The ELASTIC STARCH is the only starch in the United States that is put up by men have a practical knowledge of the laundry profession. It requires no cooking, keeps the iron from sticking and linen from blistering while ironing, and gives shirts, cuffs and collars that stiffness and beautiful polish they have when new, which, everybody knows keeps them clean twice as long. Beware of imitations. See that the name J. C. HUBINGER & BROS., New Haven, Conn., is on every package.

General Logan will address the Grand Army Posts at Grant's tomb on Decoration Day.

Shoes Used in the Antipodes.

There isn't much show for our leather or our manufactured shoes in Australia. The people have good-sized, civilized feet, and they produce more leather than they want. They have reduced to a science the manufacture of leather from skins of the native animals, and as long as the latter hold out, Consul Griffin doesn't see any market for us. The skin of the kangaroo is much used, but the Australians do not discriminate much, and carve up their native bears, or ruthlessly destroy the bandicoot (the native pig) or the dingo or native dog, so that all tastes may be suited in leather. The fashionable slippers are made from the skins of the platypus, and are highly prized. The people in New Zealand don't go much upon style. Their feet are large and unshapely, and pegged boots are considered just the thing. In South New Zealand brass rivets are used to fasten the soles to the uppers.

The good people of Japan do not show any desire to cultivate American leather or shoes. All the noble subjects of the Mikado hanker after European fashions, and spend some of their incomes in wearing French shoes. The young women in Japan are not much behind our own. They catch on to all the new fashions in European dress, ape the manners and customs of Europeans, and take savage delight is showing their pretty feet and silk stockings. They don't want any shoes of American manufacture, and the bulk of the natives are satisfied to go through life wearing a sandal or a wooden clog. Consul Patton does not think there is any field for American manufactures in the Japanese empire.—New Yord Mail and Express.

Candy Shops of Other Lands.

In the matter of confections, by the way, New York, speaking after the manner of men beats the world. They hardly know what candy is in London, where still obtains the antique and exploded superstition that it is a sort of pap peculiarly suited to and designed for infancy. A country where ice cream is a rare and novel compound, sold at fabulous prices and by the wine-glass full, presents to the American imagination difficulties in the way of courtship and marriage which might be expected to seriously check the natural increase of the population; but the untraveled Englishman has never yet learned that sweets to the sweet is the proper method of bombarding maiden hearts, and he seems to get the necessary preliminaries settled some way in a good number of cases unassisted by any softening gastronomic influences than are shed by his own indigestible plum pudding.

The candy shops there are small and humble places where the proprietor gladly exchanges a portion of his simple goods for a penny, or even a fraction thereof, instead of refusing, as do our brilliant and lordly confectioners, to negotiate for less than half a pound of compounds ranging from 50 cents to $1 a pound. The idea of such airs in such a business would be laughed to scorn. In Paris they are in these respects somewhat more civilized, and indeed it was from Paris that we learned our early lessons in the worship of sugar, but we have now far outstripped our teachers both in the number and splendor of the shops and in the expensiveness and variety of our confections.—New York Graphic.

Problem of a Commercial Pole.

Chief Engineer Melville, in a reeent lecture, described the Arctic outfits necessary for explorers and the mistakes made in making them too heavy. He said: "I have slept comfortably on top of a sled in a sleeping bag with the thermometer 100 degrees below the freezing point of water."

The Arctic sleeping bags, he explained, were worn with the hair inside, thus reversing nature. It was the only fur clothing worn that way. He thought the very idea of unlimited appropriations by congress caused an Arctic expedition to be loaded down with the worthless rubbage of every crank in the land. His sleeping bag weighed eleven pounds. The Greely expedition bags weighed twenty-two pounds—elegant things to sleep in, but death to those who attempted to carry them." In conclusion the chief engineer said that with his knowledge, born of experience, he expected at some future day to conduct a party in safety to the Arctic regions, and to find a grand, public spirited man of vast means who would aid him in solving the problem of a commercial pole. The road was one of trial and tribulation, but the object was attainable and the scientific world would not be satisfied until it was reached.—Philadelphia Times.

Japanese Passion for Tattooing.

The Japanese have acquired such a passion for being tattooed that a law has been passed forbidding the marking of natives. The law does not apply to foreigners. It is quite the thing now to be tattooed, and elaborate designs are traced on many travelers as an indelible reminiscence of their sojourn in the east. The sons of the prince of Wales, when here a few years ago, were tattooed, and several Russian dukes and sprigs of nobility have undergone the process. The son of Longfellow recently submitted to a very elaborate tattoo decoration, and for more than three months was in the hands of the tattooer, who did an amount of work on him during this time that is usually spread over a period of three or four years. This caused of course, a severe nervous shock, which he was only able to withstand by the application of application of hypodermic injections of morphine.—Yokohama Letter.

Another Veteran Drops Out of the Ranks.

Pierre Solidor Milon, who was 98 years old last November, claims to be one of the seven survivors of the wars of the first Napoleon. His papers show that he enlisted in 1806, was in the French army for ten years and nine months, rose from the ranks to the grade of lieutenant, and was made a chevalier of the Legion of Honor. He is the father of sixteen children, and has lived in Philadelphia since 1880, supporting himself by playing the violin in orchestras and giving music lessons.—Exchange.

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A TRUST WELL KEPT.

BY EDMUND LYONS.

The torrent of mutiny in India that had been gathering volume and force in secret for months had burst its barriers at last, and was sweeping along as though past all control. The gallant old Colonel Pratt had paraded his regiment in front of his bungalow, and, with his gray hair rippled by the warm breeze, had expressed to them his illfounded confidence that, though all the other Sepoys rose in rebellion, they would never rise. His men, whom he always spoke of as "his children," greeted his speech with ringing cheers. Two hours later they had murdered the veteran, and, under their own chosen leaders were marching to Delhi, their band playing, with the curious inconsistency for which the mutineers from first to last were famous, the English national anthem, "God save the Queen." Allahabad had fallen. Every officer at the mess table, with one exception, had been butchered by the servant who stood behind him, and struck with his knife when the signal was given. The one who escaped the general doom, and who was called when the story was told, the "Martyr of Allahabad," sprang through a window of the mess room, and reaching the banks of the Ganges plunged in and swam for many miles; hiding in the jungle during the day, and drifting with the current at night; suffering incredible hardships, to die of native fever induced by the exposure when friends and apparent safety were reached at last.

Other officers belonging to that illfated mess escaped. Not many, and those only because they were not at the table when the murderous signal was given. One of them having been detained by regimental business, was hurrying to join his comrades when a woman stopped him by coming with startling suddenness from the shadow of a clump of bamboos beside the road.

"Sahib, don't go on!" she said, speaking in her own language. "They are all dead by this time. Boden Singh was behind your chair, his knife ready, and had you been in it you would have been with Allah now. Boden Singh was mad with rage, and waiting. He had waited so long that he said he could wait no longer. He wanted to murder you last night when you were asleep on the charpoy, but I told him if he did so it would not be easy to get the officers all together at the mess to-night. So he agreed to wait a little longer and stab you in the back, as the others were stabbed, while he stood behind at dinner. He has killed somebody else by this time, to make up for having missed you. Yes, it is terrible, but why did you put the grease on the cartridges? Ah, here they come!"

The butchery was over, and a troop of soldiers, accompanied by the servants who had slain their masters, were marching down the road, headed by a band playing "Rule Britannia." The woman who had spoken was Poonah, the wife of the villian Boden Singh. Boden Singh was the "bearer," or body servant, of the officer who had been warned. I was the officer.

"Quick, Sahib!" she exclaimed, hastily, as I stood irresolute in the middle of the road. "They will see us in a minute. Hide in the clump of bamboos! And in a moment we were crouching there, side by side, while the mutineers came on, marching with that steady military step that they had learned so well from their English masters. They had learned some other things, too, from the same teachers, and in the next few months they showed all too plainly that the seed of instruction had not been cast upon barren soil.

"Why did you put grease on the cartridges?" At that moment, with life and death hanging about evenly in the balance, those words and their evil inference were ringing in my brain. Assuredly the pork grease on the cartridges had in some degree hastened the mutiny. The cartridges of that day had to be bitten before they were used, and both Hindoo and Musulman abhor the flesh of the pig, though the higher classes eat imported hams and bacon, and protest that they are not the same meat at all. The Sepoys had gone on biting the cartridges contentedly, and with no idea that they were putting the unclean thing into their mouths, until the rebellious rajahs, watching for such an opportunity, wilily pointed out the grievance. Several of the regiments protested, and asked that the grease on the cartridges be changed, so as no longer to clash with their religious principles; and had the advice, strongly urged, of the astute Sir John Lawrence, then collector of Agra, afterward governor-general of India, been taken these requests would have been granted at once; but India's rulers in the pride of a century's almost undisturbed possession, feared nothing, suspected no danger, and drifted blindly on to the sharpest crisis in England's later history.

A clump of bamboos is a good spot for a fugitive to hide in. It is an excellent place also for a party of soldiers to encamp by. The mutineers thought so, and, throwing themselves on the parched grass beside the road twenty yards from where we were hidden, they began to smoke and discuss in low, cautious tones, for they were still distrustful of themselves and each other, the prospects of the desperate venture to which they were now irretrievably committed.

It was quite light enough now to see that Boden Singh was not with the soldiers. Where has he gone to? I asked my preserver, in a whisper. "He has gone to your bungalow," she replied, significantly. "He expects to find you there!"

Situated as I then was, forewarned and, therefore, forearmed, I was sincerely sorry that Boden Singh would not find me in my bungalow.

The clump of tall, thin bamboos were singing their endless song to the night breeze, felt by their sensitive, lofty tops, though not perceptible below; and, our voices lost to the mutineers in the groaning and creaking of the branches, I learned from Pooniah her reason for saving me. A few weeks previously, when the shadow of the advancing mutiny had fallen on the country, I caught Boden Singh, who could read and speak English remarkably well, about to open a letter given to me by a messenger from Sir John Lawrence to deliver to the commissioner of Jubbulpore. In view of the expected outbreak such an intention, if exposed, would infallibly have been quickly followed by Boden Singh's execution; but he had read nothing of the dispatch, and, yielding to Pooniah's entreaties, I was silent, and his life was spared.

"The time is close at hand, sahib," said the grateful wife, "when I may do for you what you have done for him, and"—she stooped down, picked up a small piece of earth and swallowed it, following a well known custom of Hindoo fanaticism—"may this choke me if I betray the trust."

Boden Singh, too, pledged himself to repay the debt I had placed him under. How the husband and wife kept faith with me the coming ordeal showed.

"Pooniah! Why are you here?" It was Boden Singh who spoke. Coming by a short cut from my bungalow he had approached the rear of the clump and nearly fallen over us. In another second he had seen me, and his knife—a carving knife from the mess table—was in his hand; and in the next I had him by the throat, disarmed, and on the ground. He would have shouted for help, but Pooniah stooped, and in quick, nervous tones whispered: "Bohen Singh, utter one word and I will run out and say you were saving your sahib! You were his bearer, and gave him warning in time to prevent him from going to the mess table. How long do you think you would live after that was told? The sahib will spare your life again if you will promise not to join the mutineers. Lie quiet now, and you will never see me after to-night."

The villain saw his only chance for safety. Sullenly he gave the promise required of him, and lay still for twenty minutes. Then the Sephoys moved away, and half an hour later I, for the second time, allowed Boden Singh to go in peace.

"Sahib," said Pooniah, "I have kept my trust. I can do no more for you. Salaam." She was gone, and I never saw her again.

More fortunately than the "Martyr of Allahabad" I got safely into Lucknow, and came out with Sir Colin Campbell's men when they marched to our relief. It is, perhaps, needless to say that Boden Singh's word was broken. He was an active mutineer. I saw him for the last time near Cawnpore. He was one of the long line of Sepoys tied to a staked rope running forward from the muzzle of a shotted gun.

"Boden Singh," I said, "I cannot save you this time."

"Would you if you could?" he asked.

And as I looked on the traitor's face, and recollections of the past crowded upon me, I could only reply:

"I don't think I would."—*New York Star.*

A Stupid Bird.

Mrs. Clamwhooper, an elegantly-dressed lady, followed by a servant in livery, bearing a cage in which there was a green parrot, entered the establishment of a New York bird dealer.

"I bought this bird of you six months ago, and he hasn't spoken a word yet. When I bought him you told me that he would repeat every word he heard," said the lady, indignantly.

"Well, I say so yet. He will repeat every word he hears," replied the bird dealer, calmly.

"But he doesn't repeat a single word."

"That's because he can't hear a single word. He is as deaf as a post. You forgot to ask if he could hear, and I forgot to mention it. My motto is 'Honesty is the best policy.' Morning ma'am."

Mrs. Clamwhooper left the place suffering from rage.—*Texas Siftings.*

Our Dumb Friends.

Is it not possible to persuade the women of Boston—the city we are proud to consider a centre of refinement, reason and intelligence—to take a decided stand on the matter of the slaughter of birds, and protect them by refusing to wear them? We are fostering a grievous wrong out of pure thoughtlessness. A bit of ribbon, or a bunch of flowers, or any of the endless variety of materials used by the milliner, would answer every purpose of decoration, without involving the sacrifice of bright and beautiful lives. But women do not know what they are doing when they buy and wear birds and feathers, or they never would do it. How should people brought up in cities know anything of the sacred lives of birds? What woman whose head is bristling with their feathers knows, for instance, the hymn of the song sparrows, the sweet jargon of the blackbirds, the fairy fluting of the oriole, the lonely, lovely wooing call of the sandpiper, the cheerful challenge of the chickadee, the wild, clear whistle of the curlew, the twittering of the swallows as they go careening in wide curves through summer air, filling earth and heaven with tones of pure gladness, each bird a marvel of grace, beauty and joy? God gave us these exquisite creatures for delight and solace, and we suffer them to be slain by thousands for our "adornment." When I take note of the headgear of my sex, a kind of despair overwhelms me. I go mourning at heart in an endless funeral procession of slaughtered birds, many of whom are like dear friends to me. From infancy I have lived among them, have watched them with the most profound reverence and love, respected their rights, adored their beauty and their song, and I could no more injure a bird than I could hurt a child. No woman would if she knew it. The family life of most birds is a lesson to men and women. But how few people have had the privilege of watching that sweet life, of knowing how precious and sacred it is, how the little beings guard their nests with almost human wisdom, and cherish their young with faithful, careful, self-sacrificing love. If women only knew these things, there is not one in the length and breadth of the land, I am happy to believe, who would be cruel enough to encourage this massacre of the innocents by wearing any precious rifled plume of theirs upon her person. At this moment, when again comes April back to us, bringing once more these sky-born minstrels and poets dear, troops of boys throughout the whole country are slaughtering the bluebirds for the milliner! and not only the bluebirds but every feathered thing that flies. Oh, let us begin to try to put an end to this evil, "wrought from want of thought!" The Audubon Society furnish some facts which prove how far it has gone. "From one small district on Long Island about 70,000 birds were brought to New York in four months' time. In New York one firm had on hand Feb. 1, 1886, 200,000 skins. The supply is not limited by domestic consumption; American bird skins are sent abroad; one New York firm had a contract to supply 40,000 skins of American birds to one Paris firm."

No comment is needed.

Will not the women of Boston lead the way as a city of merciful women, and take vigorous steps toward putting an end to this outrage against our Mother Nature? Once let refined and cultivated women see the matter in its true light, refuse to wear feathers and refuse to allow their children to wear them, the evil in this city, at least, would soon disappear. And it would be a beginning—let the fine women lead the way, the rest will soon follow; the servant will not wear what the lady refuses to countenance, for, curiously enough, Fashion is respected as much by the ignorant as by the cultured—high and low alike bow down before the grim goddess, and Fashion has become a murderous fiend.

It is spring, the old hats and bonnets are to be laid aside. Let us buy no more birds with which to "decorate" the new head covering. More than this, let us not keep any we have now for future use, neither give them away but destroy them at once, without hesitation, that they may never again set a bad example. Let us all be proud to walk abroad without a badge of cruelty upon our heads. Destroy them and never purchase others. How slight sacrifice is this for us how great a gain in the cause of humanity! At once, this day, this hour let us, in the name of love and pity, begin to spare and try to save the birds.

CELIA THAXTER.

Blue Points.

The original Blue Point oyster was first discovered in Long Island waters nearly a century ago. At that time there was a portion of the Great South Bay, opposite Blue Point, that was covered with blue mud, and oysters were not supposed to exist in this muddy ground. The discovery was accidentally made by a fisherman who was dredging for an anchor that he had lost. The shells of the oysters were very dark and the oyster itself fat and luscious. It was not long before the discovery became known to the baymen, and they flocked to the ground by hundreds. A few of the baymen made fortunes, and it was nothing unusual for one man to take as high as two hundred bushels in a single day. At the time there was a ready market for them at fifty cents per bushel. The beds naturally could not stand the continual drain, and finally became exhausted. The oysters now caught off Patchogue and called Blue Points do not resemble the original Blue Points and are inferior. They are of a light brown color and an entirely different shape, and do not grow naturally where found, but are cultivated.—*N. Y. Mail and Express.*

The Knights of Labor.

The organization known as the Knights of Labor was organized on Thanksgiving Day, 1869, in Philadelphia, by Uriah S. Stevens, a garment cutter, who had six other garment cutters associated with him. They formed what was afterwards known as Local Assembly No. 1, of the Knights of Labor. The Order was confined to garment cutters, but eventually other branches of industry were organized under the shield of the Order.

The organization grew slowly until January 1, 1878. It was all that time without a recognized head. Through the efforts of a few energetic members a General Convention was held in Reading, Penn., on January 1, 1878, when the General Assembly was formed, with Mr. Steven as Grand Master Workman and Charles H. Litchman, of Marblehead, Mass., as Grand Secretary.

There were about 1,200 branches of the Order formed up to that time. They worked secretly until January 1, 1882, when the existence of the Order was publicly proclaimed.

Since that time the growth of the Knights of Labor has been wonderful and enormous. So great has been the increase that the chief officers have decided not to allow any more branches to be started until April 15.

To gain admission, a person must be engaged in some honorable branch of industry. Both sexes are admitted to membership. As a rule it is useless to apply for admission, because it is a rule of the Order to select members. Thus a person may be proposed and rejected without ever knowing it. Men are usually proposed by friends who judge them worthy of fellowship.

Business men can join. In an Assembly one hundred strong, seventy-five members must be employees.

Meetings as a rule are held weekly, but some Assemblies do not meet so often.

The Order is not oath bound. Each member takes a solemn pledge, and if he violates it he is expelled and blackballed all over the country. Violation of the rules renders a member liable to a suspension ranging from one to five years.

There are two kinds of Assemblies—trade and mixed assemblies. A trade Assembly is composed of men engaged at one special branch of industry. A mixed Assembly is composed of mechanics, laborers, professional men and so on.

Local Assemblies are governed by a District Assembly, which may include five or five hundred Local Assemblies. The District Assembly is in turn governed by the General Assembly.

The Order is benevolent, protective and educational. The expenses of members are very light. A man may admit that he is a member, but he is not allowed to give the name of other members without their consent.

The Lord, the Lady and the Dude.

The writer of "Hit and Miss Chat" in the New York *Times* relates the following story about Lord Randolf Churchill, whose wife is an American lady:

Lord Randolf Churchill, so conspicuous just now in the affairs of the English government, recalls a good story to be heard at New York clubs. Lady Churchill, who was one of the brightest girls ever reared in New York, was one of the attractive features at a recent charity ball in London. Her husband, hot-headed but generous, was one of the fashionable throng. While Lady Churchill was executing some brilliant dash on the piano keys a tall young fellow, with bangs, eye glass and all the rest of dudedom's paraphernalia, stood near Lord Churchill. In a feminine lisp the tall young man remarked for his lordship's ears: "Deuced fine music, you know; but it lacks the weal soul, it lacks the weal soul!" Churchill gave him a half-contemptuous glance. The tall young man still dispensed his lisp. He had nothing original to say, but his criticisms made up for what they lacked in that direction by silly personality. He was in delightful ignorance of the identity of his listener, and seemed amazed by the spirit of a low phrase that finally flew into his ears sounding very like this: "For a shilling I'd wallop the life out of you here on the spot." A soothing panacea of wounded feelings came to the tall young man on the following day, when a card unexpectedly invited him to the Churchill drawing room. He wasn't long in responding. Neither was he long in departing. He got no further than the hall. A burly young man met him there. It was the same gentleman whom he had favored with his lispings last night—Lord Randolph Churchill. Then out floated Lady Churchill. "This fellow's come to apologize to you." Thus the lord to the lady. "Down on your knees!" Thus the lord to the caller. And down on the rugs fell the perfumed creature. He was very abject. He even consented to be kicked. I haven't much pride in cronicling the fact that this youth is a New Yorker.

Never Give Up.

If you are suffering with low and depressed spirits, loss of appetite, general debility, disordered blood, weak constitution, headache, or any disease of a billious nature, by all means procure a bottle of Electric Bitters. You will be surprised to see the rapid improvement that will follow; you will be inspired with new life; strength and activity will return; pain and misery will cease, any hence forward you will rejoice in the praise of Electric Bitters. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by Wm. W. Hill opp. the Common.

"Father," said Rollo, "what is meant by the intoxication of wealth?" "Means that money is tight," replied Rollo's father, who has been shinning around all the afternoon with a piece of paper, looking for an autograph.

SPRING STYLES
— AT —
Munroe's Clothing Store.

We are now offering the largest line of SPRING OVERCOATS and SUITS ever shown by us. NEW, STYLISH and WELL MADE GARMENTS at prices as low as the lowest.

Also, a complete assortment of STIFF and SOFT HATS, comprising all the latest styles and shapes.

Please call and examine our new goods.

C. M. MUNROE,

Post Office Block, - - - Woburn.

A Remarkable Case of Boycotting.

A Washington letter says: When the season first opened here there was a great promise of building. Never in the history of Washington have so many plans been laid for the construction of new houses. Up to the present time there is no building begun of any importance. The reason of this delay is the decision of the labor organizations here that eight hours shall constitute a days work. The builders are waiting to see if some sort of compromise cannot be arranged, as such a schedule of hours for a day's work will add fully twenty per cent to the cost of building. If this rule is adhered to not over one-half of the houses that were planned for the year will be built. Some of the contractors hope to get around the vexed question by hiring men to work for them by the hour. One of the most remarkable exhibitions of the authority and power of labor organizations was shown in Washington last week. Last fall Mr. Warder, a manufacturer of agricultural implements at Springfield, O., came here to live. He has made a large fortune in his business, and intends in the future to make Washington his home. He occupied last winter ex-Senator Windom's house, the same house occupied by the Blaine family last year. During the winter he bought him a large lot in the vicinity of Sixteenth, on E street. He intended to build a house which would cost at least $100,000. His plans were all made and the work was begun several days ago. Now the work is stopped and he cannot get a single workman to lay a brick upon his house. It appears that when he was a manufacturer in Springfield he became engaged in a conflict with the Knights of Labor. He was boycotted and the boycott has never been raised. Last week the Washington Knights of Labor received word from Springfield, O., concerning Mr. Warder, and upon receipt of that information issued orders to all the workmen in the District directing them not to work for him. The result is that he cannot employ a single bricklayer. As he is a very determined and wealthy man he will certainly succeed in building his house, but it will be in the face of the greatest difficulty. Mr. Warder is a man engaged in business and went to Washington for the purpose of investing his property. He thinks well of real estate in the city and would probably build a number of houses. He pays the wages demanded by the labor organizations and has sought in no way to employ non-union men. His work would employ a large number of men during the season. Yet because of the quarrel had by him with the labor organizations in the past all members of the labor organizations are forbidden to work for him at any price.

Beaten by Her Rival.

The Washington *Capital* tells this story of local life: I heard a good story the other day of two ladies who, it is said, once lived in Chicago and who were social rivals. They were on visiting terms, but devoted much of their time to considering how they could surpass each other in the richness and elaboration of their houses and raiment. In the progress of this pleasing rivalry Mrs. A. gave a grand reception, at which she appeared in a new gown of very fine and wonderful texture, which quite surpassed anything that had ever been made into a dress for a Chicago lady in the whole history of that remarkable town.

Everybody saw the incomparable dress and marvelled greatly thereat—that is, everybody except the one unconquerable rival, Mrs. B., who gave a reception at her house a fortnight later, to which the same people were invited who had attended the reception of Mrs. A. The astonishment of the latter may be imagined when on entering Mrs. B's drawing-room, she beheld all the upholstered furniture in the room covered with precisely the same material as that of the dress with which she had startled her friends two weeks before. In the language of the street, Mrs. B. "got away with her" that time at least.

A Public Benefaction.

How to laundry linen as it is done in Troy, N. Y., has been kept a secret long enough; it can and should be done in every family. The ELASTIC STARCH is the only starch in the United States that is put up by men have a practical knowledge of the laundry profession. It requires no cooking, keeps the iron from sticking and linen from blistering while ironing, and gives shirts, cuffs and collars that stiffness and beautiful polish they have when new, which, everybody knows keeps them clean twice as long. Beware of imitations. See that the name J. C. HUBINGER & BROS., New Haven, Conn., is on every package.

Son—"Oh, mommee, here's a great big knot hole in de floor. Come an lookee." Mother (abstractly)—"Oh, honey doan bodder mommee when she's busy. Bring it heah, an' I look at it."

CUSTOM
Tailors' Misfits.

WHAT DOES N'T FIT ONE MAN WILL FIT ANOTHER.

Remember the above fact when you need Clothing; and also remember that the Clothing which the Boston Misfit Clothing Company have on sale is all work that was originally custom made by the leading Tailors of the country. Then bear in mind that we are selling these fine goods at less than half what the tailor expected to get. With our hundreds of suits we can fit you really better than the tailor can by taking your order. Better still, we can give it to you at less than half price.

EXAMINE OUR PRICE-LIST.

$45.00	Spring CUSTOM SUIT for	$25.00
40.00	" " " "	19.00
35.00	" " " "	16.00
30.00	" " " "	14.50
40.00	Custom Spring Overcoat for	18.00
35.00	" " " "	16.00
30.00	" " " "	14.00
10.00	Custom Pantaloons for	5.00
8.00	" " "	4.00

A few SPRING OVERCOATS, Silk and Satin Lined, fine finish, at fifty per cent. of their cost.

The above garments are all cut and trimmed in the latest style, and are the best products of the leading Artist Tailors in the Union, such as have for some cause or other been uncalled for, or left on their hands on account of being a misfit. Our assorted stock enables us to fit all—large or small.

FULL DRESS SUITS FOR SALE OR TO LET.

Boston Misfit Clothing Co.
639 Washington St.,
Cor. Boylston St. Up one Flight.
Open evenings till 9 o'clock.
Cut this out so as to remember the number, 639 Washington St., cor. Boylston, up one flight.

The Wax Dollar.

When Grandma Babcock went to visit Aunt Ada she took Trotty with her. Trotty was three years old and was very fond of good things. She found out very soon that there was a grocery and provision store near the house where Aunt Ada lived.

In front of the store hung two big bunches of bananas. Trotty liked bananas very much.

One day, when Trotty was playing out on the front steps, her aunt, who was very fond of her, leaned out of the window and threw down a little package.

"There, Trotty," see said, "go and buy a banana."

Trotty unwrapped the package and found two cents. She went to the store feeling as if she had grown to be a very big girl.

After that she wanted to go every day to get bananas, and she soon spent all the pennies her aunt had.

"I'll have to spend my penny now," she said. "I found it in the sewing-machine drawer, and I've been saving it."

She went to her baby house, picked up a little box, and then started for the store.

The grocer took down the biggest banana he had and gave it to her; but he laughed when he looked at the money Trotty put in his hand.

"See what that child gave me," he said to Aunt Ada, when she was in the store the next day.

Aunt Ada looked and saw that it was a big waxed dollar that she had made years before when she was taking lessons in wax-work.

And Trotty had thought it was a penny, and had bought a banana with it.—*Our Little Ones.*

The Population of Woburn

Is about 12,000, and we would say at least one half are troubled with some affection of Throat and Lungs, as those complaints are according to statistics more numerous than others. We would advise all not to neglect the opportunity to call on us and get a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Price 50 cents and $1. Trial size free. Respectfully, Chas. H. Buss, Druggist.

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POWDER
Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall St., N. Y.

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, MAY 7, 1886.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S Horton, 195 Main Street, A. Robie, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at he Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

TROUBLE ALL ROUND THE LOT.

The latest phase of the labor movement is a demand all along the line for an eight-hour day's work in the place of ten. In Boston last Monday morning over four thousand mechanics, chiefly journeymen carpenters, masons, painters, plumbers and brick-layers, went out on a strike on that plea, which put a sudden and unexpected period, for nobody knows how long, to nearly all the building operations in the city. They were met in most cases with a firm denial from the master builders to yield to the demand, and what the outcome will be no one can safely predict.

In Chicago the condition of things is still worse. In that city the organization is in the hands of wild, crazy-headed socialists, nihilists, and cranks, by whose direction some of the large manufacturing establishments were attacked on Monday and several of the assaulting party paid the penalty of their unlawful work with their lives so it was reported. In New York and Washington matters are nearly as discouraging, and the craze has struck with great violence nearly all the manufacturing centres in the country.

The question is propounded on every hand, what are we coming to, and where will it all end? That is easier asked than answered. If, as now seems probable, the work of the Knights of Labor is to be surrendered into the hands of foreign agitators and socialists to be directed and carried on by them the consequences to the business interests of this country will be very serious indeed. Something worse than that even may come from such a transfer of authority and scenes that heretofore have been less familiar in this country than in Europe may become the fashion in our large cities. There is danger of it.

Business is more or less paralyzed all over the country and there is a very fair prospect of its becoming wholly so. Uncertainty as to what the next step is to be on the part of the agitators deters capitalists, operators and contractors from launching out into new business enterprises in any direction; and not only so, but they are hauling in, cutting down, reducing work and number of workmen in all directions. Men will not risk their money in any kind of undertakings so long as this very serious condition of affairs exists.

While the Knights of Labor confined their demands to better wages for the laborer and the righting of some generally admitted wrongs they had the hearty sympathy of the entire public. No reasonable person begrudges the workingman full and ample pay for what he earns. The newspapers all over the country, public speakers, the clergy, and everybody else were with them while they confined themselves to what was understood to be the legitimate objects of the Order; but when they assume to dictate all the terms between employer and employed; to deprive the former of rights that justly belong to them; and demand concessions and conditions that do not address themselves favorably to the intelligence of fair-minded people, then they forfeit the sympathy and respect without which it will be difficult for them to make headway.

Later advices from Chicago state the condition of the troubles there to be much more serious than it was earlier in the week. On Tuesday six policemen were killed by the mob of rioters and some sixty persons in all wounded, of which number a large proportion belonged to the mob. The state of affairs is truly alarming. In Boston the master builders hold out firmly against the strikers and will receive no communications from the Knights as an organization. Happily here in our own town the prudence and moderation of the Executive Committee of the K. of L. in treating with the proprietors averted any clash that might otherwise have occurred, and matters are not only quiet and satisfactory, but are likely to continue so through the season.

THE ST. LOUIS STRIKE.

The head officers of the Knights of Labor ordered the St. Louis railroad strike off to take effect last Tuesday morning. It has been going on many weeks during which hundreds of thousands of dollars have been lost in wages, many times that sum to the general industries of the States involved in the troubles, and what the country has suffered by the interruption and stagnation of business cannot be computed. If anybody has gained anything from the operations it remains to be shown. It is no doubt true that the employes of the railroads had good reason for their complaints; the fact that they were generally underpaid has not been seriously disputed; but looking back over the whole ground does anybody now believe that the strike was the best thing the railroad men could have resorted to in order to secure their rights? Mints of money have been spent by one side to keep it up, and by the other to put it down; lives have been lost; property destroyed; trade ruined for the time being, and business paralyzed for months to come; and in view of these facts, after studying the matter carefully and candidly, we can't for the life of us discover where anybody has gained anything by the St. Louis strike.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

S. R. French—Soap.
W. E. Carter—Rink.
A. Robie—Settle up.
T. C. Evans—Stetson.
T. C. Evans—Blurred.
L. L. Whitney—Citation.
J. W. Hammond—Clothing.
Geo. P. Rowell & Co.—Mis. Ads.
Emerson & Goddard—Insurance.
J. G. Maguire—App. for License.
Boston Clothing Company—Clothing.

"She danced on Uncle Cleve's knee." —*Globe.*

— Mr. Burgess advertises low prices for honest goods in latest modes this week.

— There was the slightest kind of a sprinkle on Tuesday night, and did but little good.

— The demand for single houses, cottages, etc., here is large, and the supply scant.

— Fred B. Leeds has just received and has on draft a fresh lot of Saratoga Water.—2 w.

— G. R. Gage, Esq., left his sick brother at Concord, N. H., last Saturday in a hopeful condition.

— Stoneham Post, No. 75, G. A. R., attended the inspection of Post 33, at G. A. R. Hall last evening.

— Mr. A. Robie has a card in our business columns in which he tells his debtors that he wants them to settle up.

— She says her love is not for the President, but for the man. And "she danced on Uncle Cleve's knee."—*Globe.*

— Last week Mrs. Burns was taken to the Danvers Insane Asylum. She has been an inmate of that institution several times before.

— Mr. John Brauer returned from Malone, N. Y., last week, where he went two or three months ago to instruct workmen in making morocco.

— Apple-blossoms have been the rage for nosegays, lappel adornments, and centre-table floral ornaments this week. They *are* nice, and no mistake.

— More houses like that which Mrs. A. M. Winn is building is the great need of this town. A large number would readily rent at remunerative prices.

— M. T. Allen, Esq., has been appointed Registrar of Voters for three years; and Mr. Edward Simonds has received the appointment of Lockup Keeper.

— At Curtis's great Bazaar is to be found an almost endless assortment of children's garden tools—just the things needed. Also lunch baskets, polo sticks, etc.

— Mr. A. P. Barrett is getting used to the Water Registrar's big armchair in good shape. He don't fill up the chinks quite as Registrar Hill did, but will grow to it.

— Hon. John Cummings was a guest of the Agricultural Club at its dinner at Parker's in Boston last Saturday. The venerable Marshall P. Wilder presided.

— Furlong & Boutelle have leased the Pollard patent leather factory of Messrs. G. R. Gage and Luke Warren Fowle and will at once begin the manufacture of leather in it.

— Thomas Harney is a skilful plumber and just now has his hands full of jobs. He understands the whole business all except getting rich on a single year's operations.

— The Assessors of taxes went out on last Saturday for the first time this year, and although they took it moderately to start with they complained a good deal of fatigue on returning.

— Ladies will do well to read the card of Copeland, Bowser & Co. in this paper. They have a very large and desirable stock of spring dry and dress goods to select from and sell cheap.

— We thank Mrs. Lucy Tidd for copies of "The Middlesex Journal" of date 1864, which was the time when some Woburn boys were going to the front to help put down the Rebellion.

— Mr. Asaph Rice says Main street from Salem to Church was patrolled in firstrate shape last Sunday evening which the meeting folks appreciated for the entire amount, and were thankful for it.

— The Assessors report finding a great many new people here this spring. New settlers from all about here turn up for assessing on almost every street. That shows our population is on the increase.

— We were not advised of any extra goings-on here in town on May Day, and presume to say there were none. It was very good weather for Maying parties, but it is doubtful if many were indulged in.

— To-morrow evening there are to be grand doings at Carter's Academy. The great trick and fancy skaters, Martin and Laurie, will appear in their wonderful acts and afford no end of amusement.

— Capt. Crane, our Representative, made a speech in the House last Wednesday in favor of the House junket to the Connecticut river to-morrow. He likes a good time as well as the next man.

— The Grocers' Clerks will give their first annual ball in Lyceum Hall this evening. Higgins's band in Boston will play for the dancing. There will undoubtedly be a large party present to enjoy the affair.

— While the wind has been mainly east for a month it has in that period of time boxed the compass several times, and when it got round into the west last Tuesday the weather was hot enough to melt a person.

— Last Friday our Representative, Capt. Crane, introduced a bill in the House for the repeal of the present law against water gas. Let us have all the modern improvements and as many more as we can get.

— Poor Woburn! Can't have a base ball club! The editor of the *Advertiser*, old as he is, is trying to organize one. —*Reading Chronicle.* He'll do it too, if you'll only let him alone and not bother him too much.

— Hon. B. F. Whittemore will deliver the oration here on Memorial Day. The Posts had the forethought and prudence to engage him last fall, so that we may all depend on a fine oration on that occasion.

— Mr. Alex Grant, merchant tailor, has a very fine stock of gent's suitings which he puts into suits of the latest styles and best workmanship at very favorable prices. Gentlemen should examine Mr. Grant's stock.

— The drouth broke with considerable vigor last Wednesday afternoon, and yet a good deal more rain would be quite acceptable. It was a neat and gentle fall and intensified the green of grass and leaf many fold.

— It is reported that Lewis McGrath has brought suit against the town for injuries received from falling over a box which was standing on the sidewalk at Montvale some days since. F. P. Curran, Esq., is his counsel.

— Next Monday evening the Band of Hope will give an entertainment in Fraternity Hall. It will consist of vocal and instrumental music, dialogues, recitations, readings, etc., and from all accounts is to be a great time.

— The office of Deputy Chief of Police has been abolished this year, and as no extra pay was attached to it probably Officer Walsh is not sorry. He has been transferred to the Highlands for awhile, and is a good officer any where.

— The insurance firm of Emerson & Goddard have a new announcement in this paper. They represent many of the largest and soundest companies in the world, and no safer or fairer agency to do business with can be found anywhere.

— Next Wednesday evening the Wakefield Bicycle Club Minstrels will give an entertainment in the Town Hall in that village, which it is safe to say will be a good one. The tickets are only 25 cents, which insures a big house.

— Post 161, G. A. R., was inspected by Major Bacon of Arlington last Wednesday evening at their hall on Main street. About 15 members of the Arlington Post were present. A nice banquet was enjoyed after the inspection.

— M. Ellis & Co., have finished the foundation of the new railroad depot on Pleasant street, and are now placing the under-pinning, or will begin in a day or two. It took them and their gang of workmen just twelve days to put in the foundation.

— After years of patient suffering Mrs. Emma A., the wife of Henry Goold, died last Wednesday, and will be buried this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Her husband and family will be sincerely sympathized with in their bereavement by this community.

— Mr. George E. Parkhurst, formerly Superintendent of the Water Works, for some years in the employ of the Blake Pump Company, is about to return to Woburn to live after an absence of several years. Glad to have him come back, and wife too.

— Dr. I. J. Clark has removed from Ashland, Mass., to this place and taken up a permanent residence with Woburn people. He comes highly recommended, has the appearance of a gentleman, and will doubtless succeed in the practice of the healing art here.

— Sons of Maine organized the Pine Tree Club at the Quincy House, Boston, last Saturday. A banquet was served, and speeches by eminent sons of Maine now resident of Massachusetts were made. E. N. Blake, Esq., of this place participated in the pleasant exercises.

— In its report of the doings of the Legislature for Tuesday the Boston *Post* says: The street railways committee reported a bill authorizing the North Woburn street railway to extend its tracks to Winchester, and to increase its capital stock to $100,000 for that purpose.

— What Mr. Allen of the *Advertiser* don't know about law would supply a good sized Annex to Harvard Law School. But when it comes to applying his law to the facts of the case he fails lamentably. See *Advertiser's* comments on the *Herald's* report of the Littlefield case.

— Mr. Jacob M. Ellis started yesterday with nineteen of his men for the White Mountains where he has a contract to cover the Fabyan House with a new gravel roof. The surface of roof to be covered is just three fourths of an acre, and will take Mr. Ellis and his men about two weeks to finish the job.

— This has been one of the dryest springs on record. Not only hereaway has the ground suffered for rain but the same is true all over New England, and the whole country for ought we know. Notwithstanding which vegetation looks thrifty and appears to be making considerable progress.

— Mr. J. W. Hammond, in another column, tells the people of Woburn and vicinity something about what he keeps for sale in his large clothing emporium to which attention is directed. His establishment is well known for miles around, and customers visit it from quite a number the neighboring towns.

— W. B. Gay, Esq., of Boston has bought the Hazen Whicher coal and lumber-yard property for the benefit of the Woburn Coal Company, who are about to erect a coal-dump and make other extensive improvements, and will be prepared to furnish everything in their line at the lowest possible prices.

— A commercial traveller, whose regular beat is in the West, was in town the other day and after looking round and taking a mental inventory of our business, declared that Woburn is the smartest and most wideawake place that he has struck anywhere in the last year. The high compliment is well deserved.

— A good officer although he was, and a good fellow every way, a petition signed by all the leading men of the town for the reappointment of Bryan McSweeney to a position on the regular police force was unheeded by the Selectmen, and the old officer is now a high private. But somebody said once on a time, it is a long road that has no turn.

— Mr. S. R. French advertises the Magic Glycerine soap in our business columns, and we call attention to his card. Hundreds of Woburn people and in other towns near by will testify to the fact that there is nothing superior to this in the shape of soap. Those who have used it once will have no other. Mr. French tells of its virtues in his card.

— Mr. D. L. Sullivan of this town, who was lately connected with a Boston firm in the same business, is extensively engaged in the manufacture of overalls here, a large share of his work being sold by his commercial travellers all over New England. He gives employment to a large number of women here and in this vicinity, and is doing a profitable business.

— Last Friday William Walschendorff, a Swede, committed suicide at his home on Conn street by shooting. A large sized pistol was used and the ball was fired into the head which produced death in a few hours. He was alive, but insensible, when Dr. Kelley arrived, but expired in a short time. No one knows why he killed himself. His age was 55 years.

— Mr. Allen Robie, who for several years has kept a news and tabacco store on Main street, has bought a business stand at South Framingham, and will hereafter reside there. He has had a good patronage and done well here, but having an advantageous offer recently sold out to Mr. Robinson, and has left the town. He is a good square man, and deserves to succeed wherever he is.

— There have been 51 applications made to the Woburn Excise Board for licenses to sell liquors this spring, 38 of which have been granted, 4 refused, and 9 are now pending. One would think that 45 or 47 licensed rumshops would be able to supply the demand of this town for liquor and keep the people in a condition of glorification about all the time, Sundays not excepted.

— Mr. Brintnall, of the firm of Brintnall & Ryan who built the new Woburn railroad and have a contract for putting in the extra tracks from Winchester to Boston, was very sick last week at his home at Binghamton, N. Y., but is now better. When at his worst the family sent for Dr. Bartlett to go on, but he could not do so. Mr. Brintnall will be here in a few days.

— The Woburn Mechanic Phalanx attended the funeral of Col. Trull at Charlestown last Sunday. He was once Colonel of the Fifth Regiment of which the Phalanx is Company G., and they went down to pay their final respects to the old commander. Col. W. T. Grammer, as a representative of the Fifth Regiment Association, and several other citizens attended the obsequies, which were mainly of a military character.

— Charles W. Greenleaf, Esq., of North Berwick, Maine, kindly forwarded to our address last Saturday a box of beautiful May flowers, which would have been delicious if Boston had a better postmaster, but were quite nice and fragrant notwithstanding the delay in getting here. If anybody else but Cleveland was President there would be a change in the Boston postoffice so quick that it would make your head swim.

— Arthur Dalziel was badly injured at Carter & Co's lumber sheds last Monday. While over-hauling lumber in one of the buildings in the yard he fell from a scaffold a distance of 12 or 14 feet, struck on his head and shoulders, and received considerable hurts. He is always getting rough usage of this sort, having in times past suffered fracture of both arms, one leg, skull, besides numerous other injuries by falls, etc.

— Perseverance Division, S. of T., will give a Basket Party at Fraternity Hall, on next Tuesday evening, May 11. The price of admission to gentlemen will be 10 cents each, and ladies who bring baskets will be admitted free, and only those who bring baskets. There will be given a nice entertainment, and as quite a number of people are expected from away no doubt the party will be large, and certainly a very pleasant, one.

— The Boston Clothing House, Mr. John C. Buck, manager, make special and very favorable offers in prices for first class clothing in a card published in this paper, to which attention is directed. The establishment has a very large and desirable stock of all the lines of goods kept in a clothing store, and they are all guaranteed to be just exactly as recommended. The price of custom-made trousers is a feature of their this week's offer.

— The following are the officers of the Mishawum Club recently elected for the current year: President, Edward B. Blanchard; Vice President, Dr. George P. Bartlett; Secretary, Frederick W. Bosworth; Treasurer, Frank B. Dodge; Curator, Marcellus Littlefield; Directors, President Blanchard, ex-officio, Warren N. Blake, Charles H. Arnold. The Club will partake of its nineteenth annual banquet at the Revere House, Boston, on May 10.

— This is certain: Under license there will be no excuse for allowing the rumshops to open their doors, front or back, on Sundays this year. Violations of this law may be easily detected and speedily punished, and they must be. There is no reason why rumsellers should not live up to the law just like the rest of us, and the officers must see that they do it. If Sunday opening and selling are allowed the people will be apt to enquire the reason why.

— The May meeting of the Woburn Workers Society will be held in the vestry of the Congregational church, on Saturday, May 15. The April meeting—the first of the season—was a gratifying success. About 50 children were present and put in an afternoon of good, solid work, the larger girls on towels, and patchwork for the smaller ones. It was interesting and not a little amusing to see children under four years old at the Sewing Society busy with the needle. After an hour's work there were recitations of Scripture verses, readings, and singing of several beautiful little songs. The children are asked to bear in mind the date of the May meeting, and be sure that the money contributions are not forgotten. A grand towel sale is contemplated some time next autumn.

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— W. C. Holdsworth, the popular confectioner, will open the ice-cream season to-morrow evening at his parlors on Main street.

— There was a beautiful May procession of the children of St. Charles church last Sunday afternoon under the direction of the Sisters of Notre Dame. The children, tastefully dressed and decked out for the occasion, bore banners and streamers, while the very littlest tots wore wings of which they seemed very proud. It was a very interesting and pleasing spectacle. The Sisters are indefatigable in their efforts to delight and benefit the children.

— As at present constituted the regular police force of this town consists of: W. D. Nelson, Chief; Michael Walsh, Deputy Chief; Thomas Mulkeen, C. H. Kean, John McGee, John O'Brien, John A. Walsh. The last three were appointed to take the places of Bryan McSweeney, John E. Tidd and Thomas P. Stowers. They have the appearance of being bright men and will doubtless make efficient officers. There can be no doubt but that there ought to be one or two more officers than now on the force to make things go in a straight and proper line.

— It was intimated to us the other day by a man of truth that the prospect was good for the establishment of another shoe factory here at an early day. This may not be true of the particular case in hand, but within two years there will be several more shoe factories in Woburn, and the time is not far distant when it will become quite an important shoe manufacturing point. No doubt about it. The Board of Trade is pulling in that direction as well as several others, and it will fetch them all one of these days. With a long pull, a strong pull, and a pull altogether wonders are often worked.

— A Broom-drill will be given in the vestry of the Congregational church on next Tuesday evening, which will doubtless draw a large crowd of spectators, as it did last year. The officers of the Company are: Captain, Lena Brown; First Lieu't., Grace Cummings; Second Lieu't., Mabel Moore; Adjutant, Agnes Shaw; Serg't. Major, Emily Brown; Drill Master, Horace N. Conn. The military movements will consist of guard mount, dress parade, Company drill, bugle-call, etc., the execution of which will afford amusement and pleasure.

— The Board of Trade is receiving a good many new members. The fee is more reasonable than last year, but the chief cause of the gratifying increase in numbers is the deep interest which the public take in the success of the Board and welfare of the town. They are pouring in good. The organization is splendidly officered again this year; the committees are active and earnest; work is to be done good and strong for the best interests of of Woburn, and everybody is disposed to take a hand in. Things couldn't well look more prosperous.

— We have received, with the compliments of S. R. Niles, Esq'r., Newspaper Advertising agent, 256 Washington street, Boston, "Representative Journals of the United States," which is a large sheet containing reduced fac similes of eighteen of the principal dailies of the country, with portraits of the Editor-in-Chief of each, for which Mr. Niles will please accept our thanks. The sheet, which makes a very handsome, and to newspaper men, interesting picture we have hung in a conspicuous place in order to derive inspiration by frequent glances that do not cost too much trouble to obtain.

— The Legislative Committee on Street Railways gave a hearing to the No. Woburn Street Railway Company at the State House last Tuesday which was attended by several of the stockholders, the Railroad Committee of the Woburn Board of Trade, and quite a number of other interested parties. The hearing was brief and satisfactory to the petitioners. There was no opposition to the prayer of the Company for a legislative amendment of their charter, which will be made, and the road extended to Winchester at once. This will be a firstrate thing for both Woburn and Winchester, especially so when the line is continued to Boston.

— Mr. Connolly, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Knights of Labor, informs us that everything is working nicely and smoothly here. He apprehends no trouble here or in Winchester, and we trust he has got the true bearings of the business. Nearly all our tanners have large stocks of leather on hand, and therefore many of them are running short on help, and a few are doing next to nothing. The Knights think this is not due to any unfriendly feelings between workmen and the tanners, but is the result of large stocks and low prices for leather. We think it would be unfortunate for all concerned and the town besides if anything should turn up to disturb the fairly quiet and satisfactory condition of the labor question here, and we hope that everything that would tend to bringing on a conflict, or squints that way, will be discouraged and stopped.

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Without making invidious comparisons, we can truthfully say that it is a pleasure to do business with the above named advertising firm of New York City. They are prompt, fair and perfectly reliable, and seldom, if ever, does more than three days elapse after sending our quarterly accounts to them before a check for just the right amount comes back in payment for the same. They are the kind of an advertising agency that the craft can safely tie to.

Selectmen's Meeting.

The Board of Selectmen held their regular monthly meeting last Tuesday afternoon for allowing bills, etc.——The committee on street lights reported that they had contracted with the Wheeler Reflector Company for lighting the streets in the suburbs, at 4 3-4 cents per light a night.——A protest was received from Rev. John Quealey against a liccense being granted to Bernard McHugh, on Main street. Referred to police committee.——The monthly report of the chief of police was received and placed on file. By it there appears to have been 22 arrests, two of them being non-residents; lodgers accommodated, 93; cause of arrests, assault, 4; drunks, 9; disturbance, 1; insane, 2; burglary, 4; profane language, 1; non-support, 2; truancy, 1.——A communication was received from the tax commissioner relating to the law in regard to the assessment of a poll-tax on women.——Applications for licenses for pool and billiard tables were received from Hugh Roberts and James Carroll; referred to committee on police. Application for liquor licences were received from Henry C. McGrory, William McDonough and Patrick Grant; ordered to be advertised.——Applications for common victualler licenses were received from Henry C. McGrory and William Dempsey; referred.——Consent was given for the issue of pool and billiard licenses to Frank C. Taylor, Timothy Sheehan and Alice Cogan.——Common victualler licenses were granted to John McGovern, David Ahearn, Richard Reynolds, Patrick Burns and Bernard McHugh.——An innholder's license was granted to Jane Buckley.——The police committee asked further time to consider the protest of Rev. John Quealey against granting a license to Bernard McHugh.——Liquor licenses were granted as follows: First class, Patrick D. Conlan, Joanna Carroll, Patrick Burns, Terrence T. Sweeney, William McDonough, Richard Reynolds, James J. Carroll and Daniel Ahern; fourth class, Frederick B. Leeds, William Bradley, Reddy & Crosby, Maurice Dwyer, George A. Loring & Co., John Shinkwin, James Fitzpatrick, George H. Gay, John Maloney, Michael Boyle and Michael Clancy.——Bills for the month of April were approved as follows: School teaching, $2824.13; school incidentals, $79.26; school text books, $194.34; evening school, $51.40; bills payable, $13,500; health, $23; water works construction, $849.34; water works expense, $593.64; town officers, $400; coupon interest, $921.25; interest, 1056.28; printing, $11; State aid, $247; police, $567.21; highways, $2167.03; miscellaneous, $546.27; outside relief, $202.65; almshouse, $562.81; fire, $2517.13; total, $27,323.74.

The Board of Trade.

A regular meeting of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trade was held last Tuesday evening, at which considerable was done. In the absence of Chairman Simonds of the Committee President Flint presided, and Secretary Conn was at the desk. There was a good gathering of members, a large share of whom were old workers and constant attendants. Everything was done to suit everybody, and the best of it was, it was apparent to all that interest in the Board is deepening all the time, and that care for the welfare of the town is uppermost in the minds of all.

The reports of the Membership Committee at every meeting are very encouraging. Almost everyone means to join the Board of Trade. It is fast becoming the most popular thing in town to do, and new members are coming in constantly—first class ones too. On Tuesday evening the following names were accepted: William Henry Cummings, Daniel H. Richards, Jr., William Carleton, John H. Fox, Fred J. Stanley, Charlie A. Jones, John R. Carter, Montressor T. Allen, George F. Fosdick, A. V. Haynes, C. A. Pierce, Charles E. Tripp, B. B. Brown. With such men and a couple of hundred more like them a Board of Trade can't help being a great benefit to any town.

Suitable action was taken on the death of Mr. Edward Walter Champney, the first Secretary of the Board, and a committee will report at the next regular meeting. Other matters were duly canvassed until 9.30 o'clock when the Board adjourned.

Japanese Letters.

Boston Globe: "A reader of the *Globe* named Talbot sent me a box of 'Hak-ka' for Hay Fever. I have had seven years of sneezing, coughing, swearing, and this August it began more virulent than ever. I used Talbot's 'Hak-ka' three times, and although the fever was at the high tide of successful demoralization, I haven't sneezed but twice since, and that was two days ago. I don't know Talbot, I never saw Talbot; but he ought to become a millionaire in one season." HOWARD.

HAK-KA CREAM is equally effective for cure in Colds in the Head, Catarrh, etc. Hak-ka is pronounced *Hark-ka.*

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Boston Clothing Company.

GREAT BARGAINS IN SUMMER CLOTHING!

We have about 50 Men's and Youths' Suits fine quality, and well made, which we have marked at prices ranging from $8 to $13. Former prices $12 to $18.

CUSTOM PANTS A SPECIALTY.

Come and select from about a hundred choice patterns. Prices from $6 to $7.50.

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178 Main Street, Opposite the Common.

New Goods!

Children's Shirt Waits.
Children's Lace and Muslin Bonnets.
Ladies' and Children's Parasols.
Ladies' Handkerchiefs, great bargain at 10 cents each.
Ladies' Walking Jackets.
Sateens, large variety, 12½ cts. per yard.
Choice line of Dress Goods at 12½, 25, 37½, 50, 62, 75 cts., $1.00 per yard.
Batiste, Prints and Combrics.
Cretonnes and Scrims for Draperies.
Hamburg Edging and Insertions.
Fine line of Gent's Neckwear.
Hosiery and Underwear.
All of the above are special bargains and are offered at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.

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Ladies' Gloves!

These Gloves and a few Mitts are Drummers' samples, many of them are silk and worth 50 cents, we shall sell them all at 25 cents.

SHADE HATS for Girls from 25 cents to $1.00.

SHADE HATS for Boys from 5 cents to 37½ cents.

BOY'S SHIRT WAISTS, 20c., 25c., 37½c., 50c.

HOSIERY for Ladies and Misses 12½ cents and 25 cents. These are two special bargains, should be seen to be appreciated.

PARASOLS! PARASOLS! 25 cents to $4.00.

Call all get the Bargains.

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LEWANDO'S FRENCH DYE HOUSE,

BOSTON, MASS.

All goods for the Dye House should be brought in by Tuesday evening.

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Boys' Suits! Boys' Suits!

A large assortment in all the latest spring styles. A complete assortment of SHIRT WAISTS! aged from 4 to 13.
ONE LOW PRICE TO ALL!

Hammond's Clothing House,

181 MAIN ST., Lyceum Building, WOBURN.

Stetson's Shoe Store.

To our readers who buy their foot wear in Boston, we would recommend the Shoe Store of Mr. Stetson as a most excellent place to buy all kinds of Boots or Shoes of a perfectly reliable quality, at prices that cannot fail to be satisfactory. Any lady or gentlemen for from 2 to 3 dollars a pair can purchase from Mr. Stetson a boot or shoe that will give complete wear in every respect. His stock is large and well adapted to suit those who want a good article at a medium price. Stetson's Old Established Stand, 158 Hanover Street, right off the corner of Blackstone.

Every one should remember that by the loss of health, enjoyment and happiness soon follow. Check the slightest cough or cold by using Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam, according to directions printed upon the label of the bottle. Prices 10 and 35 cents, at druggists.

A New Way to Fire Guns.

BOSTON, May 5.—Instead of firing 100 guns in all the cities of New England to celebrate reaching 100,000 circulation, THE BOSTON GLOBE is firing them in the newspapers, that timid people may not be scared and invalids made sicker by the shock. The average circulation of THE BOSTON SUNDAY GLOBE in April was 101,685, and of THE DAILY GLOBE 97,692. These figures show a gain of about 40,000 during the past year.

"Lo! the poor Indian!" tramping about in all sorts of weather, and dying with cold. Won't some "good Samaritan" send him a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup?

100 Doses

One Dollar. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the only medicine of which this can be truly said; and it is an unanswerable argument as to the strength and positive *economy* of this great medicine. Hood's Sarsaparilla is made of roots, herbs, barks, etc., long and favorably known for their power in purifying the blood; and in combination, proportion, and process, Hood's Sarsaparilla is *peculiar to itself.*

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One Dollar

Hood's Sarsaparilla cures scrofula, salt rheum, all humors, boils, pimples, general debility, dyspepsia, biliousness, sick headache, catarrh, rheumatism, kidney and liver complaints, and all affections caused by impure blood or low condition of the system. Try it.

"I was severely afflicted with scrofula, and for over a year had two running sores on my neck. I took five bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and consider myself entirely cured." C. E. LOVEJOY, Lowell, Mass.

"Hood's Sarsaparilla did me an immense amount of good. My whole system has been built up and strengthened, my digestion improved, and my head relieved of the bad feeling. I consider it the best medicine I have ever used, and should not know how to do without it." MARY L. PERLE, Salem, Mass.

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MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

UNITARIAN.—Preaching by the pastor: Subject: "Burden-Bearing," or, "The Law of Mutual Helpfulness," at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at noon.

CONGREGATIONAL—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 P. M.; Sunday School Concert 7 P. M. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m.; General Prayer Meeting at 7 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Wednesday evening at 7½. The annual meeting of the church on Thursday evening at 7.30.

The Scandinavian Evangelical Society, Y. M. C. Rooms. Sunday, preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 m. Praise meeting at 6.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Bible Reading, Friday at 7.30 p. m. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise meeting at 4 o'clock. Boys' meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30: Scandinavian services Sunday at 10.30, Wednesday evening at 7.30. Reading Room open daily from 6.30 to 9.30 p. m., Wednesday excepted. Boys' Branch at 7.45 p. m., on Tuesdays. Sunday 9 a. m. Prayer meeting.

Danish Evang. Lutheran (St. Peters) Society, 218 Main street. Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m., praise meeting. Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock, preaching by Rev. V. A. M. Mortensen, pastor.

Restorative Spring Bitters.

A necessity of the season. Adapted to individual requirement.

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Married.

In Woburn, April 24, by Rev. D. D. Winn, Mr. Everard Horsman to Miss Alice A. Fowler, both of Woburn.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, April 29, George A. Feather, aged 4 years, 3 months, 29 days.

In Woburn, April 30, Edward Wolschendorf, aged 67 years, 1 month, 28 days.

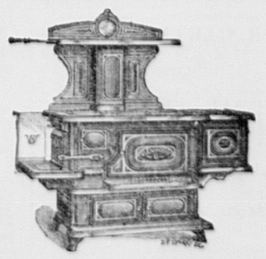
In Woburn, May 1, Edward W. Champney, aged 76 years, 8 months, 12 days.

In Woburn, May 1, Mrs. Lydia Horne, widow of Samuel Horne, and daughter of the late Major Wm. Blake, formerly of Dover, N. H., aged 79 years, 9 months.

In Woburn, May 5, Emma A. Goold, wife of Henry T. Goold, aged 41 years. Funeral Friday, 2 P. M.

In Woburn, May 5, Samuel C. Skelton, aged 70 years, 7 months, 26 days.

In Woburn, May 5, Julia A. Sawyer, aged 75 years, 4 months. Funeral Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at Baptist Parlors.



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WINCHESTER.

Parker Fletcher has the supervision of building the Main street bridge.

It is said that Mrs. Anna Clark will build a house near Dr. Winsor's residence.

Mr. S. C. Small is one of the Vice-Presidents of the Independent State Reform Club.

May Day was duly celebrated by the children of the Unitarian Society last Saturday afternoon. They had a fine time.

The Fortnightly Club, one of the institutions of this place, has suspended operations until the opening of the autumn season.

Last Friday evening two barns belonging to the Parker estate were totally consumed by fire. The loss was placed at $1500.

Albeit east winds have prevailed to a disagreeable extent for a week or two past our farmers have donned agricultural airs and dress and are putting in seed at lively rate.

The most of our people are pleased with the idea of extending the No. Woburn Street Railway to this place, with the further prospect of its connecting with lines leading into Boston. We are a conservative people—a good deal different from you Woburn folks—but public improvements are smiled on by us, nevertheless.

Mr. James A. Dupee was given a reception at the Parker House last Friday evening on his return from California.——There was quite a controversy over the question of introducing sewing into several of the schools, at the meeting of the School Board last Saturday. The next thing will be dish-washing, hash-making, and soap-boiling that somebody will rise up and want taught in our public schools.——Main street is being lined with trees under the direction of the W. V. I.——An adjourned Town Meeting was held last Tuesday evening at which it was voted to appropriate $8,000 for altering and improving the High School building: it was voted to take as much of the Cutting lot as may be needed for the new Town House.

BURLINGTON.

The assessors are busy this week, with their annual task.

Mr. Jarley will exhibit his famous "Wax Works," in the vestry of the Congregational Church, North Woburn, Friday evening, May 14.

There will be a special town meeting on Wednesday evening of next week at eight o'clock. The warrant contains six articles relative to the re-building or repairing of the North school house.

Last Sunday evening, in the church, the Sunday school gave the Easter concert, which was postponed from April 25. A very interesting exercise was presented, and all the classes recited promptly and well. The solos by little Misses Callie Philbrick and Edith Foster were deserving of especial notice. A fine dialogue, "Easter Offerings," was recited by several young ladies. The concert was one of the best ever given by the school.

Missionery Meeting.

The Andover and Woburn Branch of the Woman's Board of Missions held their annual meeting in the First Congregational Church yesterday. The following was the order of exercises:

MORNING SESSION.

Devotional Exercises.
Address of Welcome. Miss J. E. Skinner.
Minutes.
Report of Home Secretary.
Miss Mary B. Mills.
Report of Corresponding Secretary.
Miss Sarah E. Spear.
Report of Treasurer. Miss E. F. Wilder.
Singing.
Report of Secretary of Mission Circles.
Reports from Auxiliaries and Mission Circles.
Singing.
Paper by Miss Mary Alice Abbott.
Address by Miss H. E. Stanwood of Boston.
Collation.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Singing.
Prayer.
Address by Dr. March.
Solo by Mrs. Walter O. Bacon.
Address by Rev. J. K. Browne of Harpoot, Turkey.

There were full as many ladies in attendance as it was expected there would be, but the weather was very favorable and it was reasonable to suppose a large number would come from the different towns and cities composing the Branch. The exercises were very interesting, consisting mainly as above set forth. An excellent dinner served in the vestry was well enjoyed by all present and several gentlemen of the town who were invited. On the whole the meeting was pronounced a good one.

A Transatlantic Compliment.

The "Bon Marche" of Paris is the most widely known, as it is the largest of retail establishments in the world; and the testimony which its proprietors bring as to the efficiency of the conduct of their advertising business by Mr. S. R. Niles of this city has a peculiar weight for that reason. Success in trade depends largely, not only upon bringing the business to the notice of the public through advertising, but in doing this in an attractive and judicious manner. The skill displayed in the composition and the presentation of the eloquent articles which appear in the advertising columns of our newspapers often casts in the shade the talent which shines in the other departments of the journal. Successful advertising, that which brings in its full return for the money expended, has come to be an art in which only trained and practised hands can excel. The latter which Mr. Niles publishes gives him only his proper recognition as one of the ablest contributors to modern journalism.—*Boston Advertiser.*

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Montvale.

The Arbitration Board of Assembly No. 4923, K. of L., have secured an amicable settlement of prices, etc. with Messrs. Baeder, Adamson & Co., proprietors of the glue factory, and are pleased with the result. The following are the rules and prices fixed upon by the arbitrators and Mr. Scott on behalf of the company:

The firm shall make no discrimination in the hiring or discharging of employes, for or against the Knights of Labor or their representatives.

It is agreed in all cases the firm must be their own judges of the competency or incompetency of the employes for positions.

No person shall be hired or displace another at less price than the regular rates as agreed.

Fifty-nine hours shall constitute a weeks work, meaning nine (9) hours for Saturday; excepting double teamsters and night watchmen.

All disputes arising between employer and employes shall be settled by arbitration, on presentation of a grievance in writing to the firm, and also to the Assembly of the Knights of Labor having jourisdiction in the district where the factory is located.

Pending the discussion of any dispute, there shall be no lockout, strike, stoppage, cessation of work or business on the part of the employer or employes on account of said dispute.

PRICE LIST.

	Per week.
Double teamsters	$11 00
Night watchmen, for seven nights	13 00
Engineer, $2 16⅔ per day, or	13 00
Carpenters	12 00
General workmen	10 00
Boys over nineteen years	10 00

The pay of young boys to be left to the decision of the employer and the assembly having jourisdiction.

The above articles of agreement and price-list hereunto annexed shall govern the relations of the firm signing and accepting the same with the Knights of Labor, Assembly No. 4923, of Montvale, Woburn, Mass., until October 1, 1886.

JOHN DWYER.
JOHN MCGARRY.
Arbitration Board of Knights.
Agreement to end October 1, 1886.
BAEDER, ADAMSON & CO.

The assembly of the K. of L. No. 4923, of Montvale, through the arbitration board, extend to Mr. Scott, of the firm of Baeder, Adamson & Co. its thanks for the kind reception given it, and for its action.

A case of gathering news items under difficulties occurred here the other day. A brace of reporters for the Boston papers were the victims. [The word victims is not here used in its commonly accepted sense.] These enterprising reporters heard of the return of a gentleman to the bosom of his interesting family here under peculiar circumstances, and they went for the item for all it was worth. They had to hoof it a plum mile and a half for the morsel of news, over which distance the large one with a stout cane meandered without getting winded to any alarming extent, but the little, short-legged trudger puffed like a porpoise and sweat like all possessed when they reached the residence of the recently returned prodigal. A lean, lank, but very hostile bulldog was beguiled into the woodshed by a blooming damsel which gave the reporters a clear passage into the neat, comfortable dwelling of the interesting gentleman alluded to above, which was immediately utilized, and in less than a minute the press representatives were comfortably seated in the spare-room and vigorously mopping perspiration from their noble brows with the most gorgeous and flamboyant bandanna handkerchiefs that could be bought in Woburn. They commenced work at once—at least, the little trudger did—and interrogation points flew from the tip of his limber tongue thicker than hail-stones. The prodigal to whom allusion has been made was nearly as deaf as a stone post which made interviewing an uphill business. But that was not the worst of it: there was an avenger (if that is the word)—a tall, lean, angular person, with not the least foolishness about her—who was opposed to newspaper interviewers on general principles, and in a very particular manner was she opposed to this brace of Boston scribes. She dissented, in no amiable mood or gentle tone, from the whole proceedings, and with a finger sternly pointed to the door, a threatening eye on the prodigal, and a whistle all ready for the dog she brought her foot down—

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The blooming damsel succeeded with much difficulty in getting the bulldog back into the shed again; the gate was quickly and firmly shut behind the representatives of the press, and the next morning the two Boston papers contained just three lines apiece concerning the prodigal's return to Montvale.

The May Party.

The Ladies' Charitable Society of the Unitarian church gave their annual May Party last Tuesday evening in Lyceum Hall and made a great success of it. In a financial point of view it was all that anyone thought it would be and more too, although these parties are always the high-toned event of late spring and are patronized by the most fashionable people in town and neighboring places. The impartial spectator would have been apt to give the one held this May the credit of being more stylish, high up, and fashionable than any of its predecessors, and in the judgment of this scribe he or she would not have been far wrong. Any way, it was an elegant affair and a large one.

Baldwin's Orchestra of Boston played for the dances and merry-makers, and the music was prime. There is nothing better anywhere than Baldwin's band, and the treat they furnished for this May Party was of their very best, and highly charming. There were many rich and beautiful dresses in the hall worn by fair women and girls. The gentlemen, of course, were in evening suits with buttonhole bouquets, etc. It was an elegantly clothed and very fine looking party of ladies, gentlemen and children.

The Bell Dance by the little ones and the Mother Goose Quadrille by misses in costume were very pleasing indeed. Hardly anything could be more entertaining than these dances by beautiful little girls and misses. Dancing begun about 10 o'clock and was continued to a late hour. We understand the Benevolent Society are quite pleased with the success of the 1886 May Party.

The Burdock Plant is one of the best diuretics or kidney regulators in the vegetable world, and the compound known as Burdock Blood Bitters, is unsurpassed in all diseases of the kidneys, liver and blood.

A. CUMMINGS'S DRY GOODS HOUSE.

Special Bargains this Week.

NEW DRESS GOODS, EXTRA FINE KID GLOVES, all colors, CORSET COVERS, SEVERAL LINES, including very low prices and very fine quality. A beautiful assortment of BUTTONS at much less than half price.

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[From the Truckee (Cal.) Republican.]

Obituary.

Died in Truckee, Cal., Milton Gray Bulfinch, aged 9 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen A. Bulfinch.

Once the angels up in Heaven
Pushed the gates of gold apart,
And sent the brightest of their number
Down to bless a mother's heart.

But the angels up in Heaven
Pushed the gates of gold apart,
And took the precious priceless spirit
Back into the Father's heart.

Close the blue eyes, sweet and tender,
Fold the hands so waxen fair,
O'er the dimpled snowy shoulders
Loose the wondrous shining hair.

Never more will joy or sorrow
Break his silent, sinless rest;
You loved him with your earth-born worship,
But the angels loved him best.

Mr. Edward Walter Champney, who died at his residence on Academy Hill, last Saturday afternoon, after a year or more of failing health, had been a resident of this town for nearly or quite forty years, and was therefore one of the old citizens in point of residence. He was born in New Ipswich, N. H., about 76 years ago, but left there when a lad, and after staying with an uncle at York, Maine, for a while, came to Boston, where he found employment, and later was a member of the firm of Champney Brothers, who did business on Devonshire street until the great fire of 1872, which destroyed their store and stock and a large part of their fortune. His partner was Mr. George M. Champney, the late Librarian of the Woburn Public Library, and Benjamin Champney, the well-known landscape painter, is a surviving brother. He left a wife, son and other relatives and many warm friends to mourn his death. The deceased was a gentleman of the old school, and a man of many rare virtues. No citizen of the town ever commanded a larger share of public respect and confidence than he did all through his life. He was the soul of honor, refined in manners, kind and charitable to his fellow-men, cultured in intellect, a lover and patron of art, and true as steel in all the relations of life. In the death of Mr. Champney Woburn has lost one of its best friends and most highly esteemed citizens.

That Boom.

A few weeks since it looked a little as though Woburn had lost the boom started last fall, but it is different now. Then there were labor troubles with danger of more serious ones; business shivered with fear; none of us could tell what the outcome would be; and thus the boom passed out of sight. But it was only a temporary retirement—the boom didn't go to stay—in fact, it was here all the time, but modestly hid itself for a season. Everything is all right now, and the boom is on deck again. Business in the leather factories is going right along; the store-keepers are selling heaps of goods; the building spirit that all of us thought had hung up for this season at least has revived and houses are going up all over town; the population that some timid creatures thought was leaving us by the cart-load didn't leave at all, but new people came in—well, everything is going ahead, rushing along—booming. Yes, we are very happy to announce to the outside world that the Woburn Boom is still doing business at the old stand.

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Saved My Life,

and also the life of my little son. As he is troubled with Croup, I dare not be without this remedy in the house." Mrs. J. Gregg, Lowell, Mass., writes: "My children have repeatedly taken Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for Coughs and Croup. It gives immediate relief, followed by cure." Mrs. Mary E. Evans, Scranton, Pa., writes: "I have two little boys, both of whom have been, from infancy, subject to violent attacks of Croup. About six months ago we began using Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and it acts like a charm. In a few minutes after the child takes it, he breathes easily and rests well. Every mother ought to know what a blessing I have found in Ayer's Cherry Pectoral." Mrs. Wm. C. Reid, Freehold, N. J., writes: "In our family, Ayer's medicines have been blessings for many years. In cases of Colds and Coughs, we take

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Woburn, April 21, 1886.

TOWN OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, May 6, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that TERENCE A. T. MCGRATH has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a grocer of the fourth class, in front room in first floor northerly side of his building situate on private way leading easterly out of Main street in the northerly part of said Woburn and stock in basement of said building. The lot of land on which said building stands is bounded northerly by said private street, westerly by land of Charles McDermott, easterly by land of one Tidd and southerly by land of John Riley.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, May 6, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that PATRICK GRANT, has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class, at his building on the easterly side of South Bedford street, in said Woburn, in one room on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. Said building is bounded westerly by South Bedford street and on all other sides by land of John Johnson.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, May 6, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that WILLIAM MCDONOUGH has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a grocer of the fourth class, at store numbered 165 and 1654 Montvale Avenue, in said Woburn, in two rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, May 6, 1886.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that HENRY C. MCGRORY, has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at Cluffy building, so-called, on the south side of Broad street, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is owned by Thomas Kelley, and is bounded easterly and westerly by land of heirs of John H. Connolly; northerly by said Broad street, and southerly by land of David G. Converse.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, May 6, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that WILLIAM DEMPSEY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at Kenney building, so-called, on the westerly side of Albany street, in the easterly part of said Woburn, in the basement and cellar in rear of same in said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded easterly by said Albany street; northerly by land of the Boston and Lowell Railroad, and southerly and westerly by land of Alice Cogan.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Benjamin Miller, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Lewis L. Whitney, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of May instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

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Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a license from the Hon. Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, I shall sell at public auction, on the premises, on Tuesday, the eighteenth day of May, A. D. 1886, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land situated in Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, on the southerly side of Montvale Avenue, and bounded:—Beginning on said Avenue, at land of Rebecca P. Flagg; thence southerly, by said land and land of Mary E. Pearsons, about 180 feet, to a stake; thence easterly, by land of said Pearsons and land of Mrs. Bean, about 124 5-10 feet, to stake; thence southerly, by lands of Linnell, Kingsman, Burke, Hinds, Sawtelle, Eager and Henry K. White, about 585 8-10 feet, to a stake; thence westerly, by land of Pollard, 148 9-10 feet, by the wall to a corner of the wall; thence a little west of north, by land of Flagg, about 475 5-10 feet, to a stake at the wall at the land formerly of Charles S. White; thence easterly, by said homestead, about 109 9-10 feet to a stake; thence northerly, by said homestead, about 350 feet, to said Avenue; thence easterly, on said Avenue, 20 feet, to the point of beginning. Said premises are in the neighborhood of fine residences, and afford beautiful views of the surrounding country. Terms at sale.

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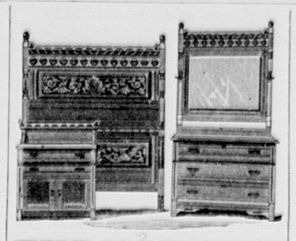
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TOWN OF WOBURN.

Board of Health Regulations.

ISSUED FOR 1886.

Extracts from the Public Statutes of Massachusetts, Chapter 80:

"The Board of Health shall make such regulations as it judges necessary for the public health and safety. Whoever violates any such regulations shall forfeit a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars."

In compliance with the foregoing statutory provisions and believing that a great amount of good may be done by timely and energetic abatement of all nuisances, the Board of Health of the town hereby issue the following regulations:—

REGULATION 1.—Ordered that all putrid or decaying vegetables or animal matter be removed forthwith from all yards, privies, cellars and out-houses, and either buried or deposited at least ten rods from any highway, dwelling-house or public building in this town, and covered with dry earth.

REG. 2.—Ordered that the contents of all privy vaults and cess-pools in the thickly-populated districts of this town shall be removed during the night time, *viz:* between the hours of ten o'clock, P. M., and four o'clock, A. M., and that all persons so removing night-soil or refuse of any kind which emits an offensive odor, must have their carts tight to prevent leakage, and effectually covered and not stopped more than five minutes on any street within ten rods of any dwelling-house, except for loading and unloading; and no person shall empty any cess-poll or closet without the consent of the Board of Health.

REG. 3.—The Board will order the removal of all swine, goats, or other animals where their presence appears to be prejudical to the public health and comfort.

REG. 4.—Ordered that no privy vaults be opened except for purposes of disinfection, or by consent of the Board of Health.

REG. 5.—Ordered that all tanneries, glue manufactories or other manufactories from which arise an offensive odor, be kept clean and covered receptacles be provided by the proprietors for the deposits of filth that flow from them.

REG. 6.—Ordered that all slaughter-houses be kept clean and that all the offal therein be removed daily.

REG. 7.—Ordered that no fish, garbage, house or store offal, water or brine containing blood, refuse animal or vegetable matter, shall be thrown upon or into any street lane, yard, or gutter, and that all persons are hereby notified to desist from such practices, and ordered to deposit the same in tight vessels having a tight-fitting cover, and if not properly buried on the premises the same shall be removed not less often than once every forty-eight hours, at least ten rods from any house or highway and covered with dry earth.

REG. 8.—Ordered that there shall not be sold or offered for sale any decayed or unripe fruit, or decayed or unfit meat, or adulterated milk, or milk from improperly fed or diseased animals.

REG. 9.—Ordered that no sink or sewer drain or water closet shall empty into any street gutter, or upon the surface of any sidewalk, street, alley or lane in this town.

REG. 10.—Ordered when any physician is called to attend upon a person in this town sick with small-pox, scarletina, or other contagious disease dangerous to the public health, the said physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Board of Health. Said notice shall contain the name of the person sick, the name of the disease, the name of the householder, and the street on which the sick person resides, and all physicians are required to immediately report fatal termination of any case.

REG. 11.—Any householder in whose family any case of contagious disease occurs, shall immediately notify the Board of Health, and use all reasonable measure to prevent infection of others.

REG. 12.—No owner or occupant of any dwelling-house in the town of Woburn, shall keep or permit to be kept, any fowl, swine, goats or other animals, in any room or cellar of said dwelling.

REG. 13.—Parties can have their vaults and cesspools cleaned by leaving their order and $2.00 for each with the Chief of Police; where more than one load is to be taken from each vault or cess-pool. $2.00 for each load must be left. No order will be received without the money accompanying it.

The inhabitants are earnestly requested to co-operate with the Board in carrying out the foregoing regulations and thereby secure healthy sanitary conditions.

The Board takes the liberty to suggest further that the people avoid the unnecessary use of water, which, in the absence of proper drainage will saturate the soil in the vicinity of their houses to a dangerous degree; and also to suggest the daily use of dry earth or sifted ashes to cover the contents of privies, or open receptacles of sink water, to absorb poisonous gases and prevent exhalations.

Whereas the diseases designated as small-pox, scarlet fever, diphtheria, typhus fever and cholera are contagious and dangerous to the public health, and have been, and may easily be, contracted at funerals from dead bodies or apartments which have been infected by such diseases, it is therefore ordered, that from and after this date, no public funeral shall be held over the remains of any person having died of small-pox, scarlet fever, diphtheria, cholera or typhus fever, without the written permit of the Board of Health; and under such regulations as may prevent the spread of said diseases.

Ordered, further, that the remains of persons dying of either of said diseases, shall at once be placed in a tight or sealed coffin, and shall not thereafter be exposed to view or disturbed except for burial.

Ordered that no owner, driver, or other person having charge of any hackney carriage or other closed vehicle used as a public conveyance shall receive, or permit to be placed, or convey in any manner, in or upon said carriage or other vehicle, any person sick or infected with small-pox or any other contagious disease, or the body of any person who has died of small-pox or any other contagious disease.

The Board of Health directs special attention to small-pox, scarlet fever, diphtheria and typhus fever as being contagious, dangerous to the public health, and call attention to the duties of citizens and physicians as provided by Public Statutes.

The Board is fully aware that many individual cases of diphtheria and other contagious diseases occur without any spread of the disease; but during epidemics at least the rule is to the contrary, and there are no means of knowing what is safe, without taking precautions which a different course might, occasionally have proved to be unnecessary. They therefore at this time publish the sections of the law governing such cases, and hold all persons interested responsible. It is further desired that physicians should fill out the postal cards furnished by this Board.

Sec. 78.—When a householder knows that a person within his family is taken sick of - - any - - disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the - - Board of Health of the town in which he dwells. If he refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars.

Sec. 79.—When a physician knows that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with - - any disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the - - Board of Health of the town; and if he refuses or neglects to give such notice he shall forfeit for each offence a sum not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars.

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Trustees' Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a license granted by the Judge of the Probate Court, in and for the County of Middlesex, the subscribers, trustees of the estate of Oliver Bacon, deceased, will sell at public auction, MAY 11, 1886, at 2 o'clock, P. M., on the respective premises, a tract of land, situated in Woburn, on the northerly side of Pleasant street, being lots Nos. 1 to 17 inclusive, on a plan of house lots; also, lot No. 19, on said plan; also a lot shown on said plan not numbered, but bounded southerly on Reed street, easterly on land of the Town of Woburn, northerly on land of A. S. Wood, westerly on lots 10 and 11 on said plan. Also, a lot of land, situated in said Woburn, and bounded westerly on a private street leading from Eastern Avenue to Montvale Avenue, southerly by land formerly of S. O. Pollard & Co., easterly and northerly by land now, or formerly of Flagg, or however otherwise bounded or described.

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Extracts from George MacDonald.

The devil could drive woman out of Paradise; but the devil himself cannot drive Paradise out of a woman.

Shall it take less time to make a woman than to make a world? Is not the woman the greater? She may have her ages of chaos, her centuries of crawling slime, yet rise a woman at last.

I do not know anything more touching than to see how a woman will sometimes wrap around her the last remnants of a soiled and ragged modesty. * * * That poor thing's shame was previous in the eyes of the Master, surely. * * * It always comes back upon me as if I had never known it before, that women like some of these were of the first to understand our Lord.

The man is a wretched ape who will utter a word about a woman's virtue, when in himself, soul and body, there is not a clean spot.

In regard to one of the vexed questions of the day, the rights of women—it seems to me that what women demand, it is not for men to withhold. It is not their business to lay down the law for women. That, women must lay down for themselves. * * * * If it is not good, good women will find it out and recoil from it. If it is good, then God give them good speed.

When the mothers are well taught, the generations will grow in knowledge four-fold.

Holy women are to be found every where, but the prophetess is not so likely to be found in the city as in the hill-country.

Poor mother earth! What a load of disappointing women, made fit for fine things, and running all to self and show, she carries on her weary old back!

It is a worse and yet more shameful thing for a man to break his wife's heart by systematic neglect than to strike her and be sorry for it.

There are common ladies and there are rare ladies: the former *may* be countesses; the latter *may* be peasants.

Doubtless mothers are far too ready to think *their* sons above the ordinary breed of sons: self, unpossessed of God, will worship itself in its offspring; yet the sons whom *holy* mothers have regarded as born to great things and who have passed away without a sign, may have gone on towards their great things.

It is a law—for ever proven, yet eternal—that a man is his brother's keeper: still more must he be his sister's keeper.

A man who does not respect a woman because she is a woman, cannot have thorough respect for his own mother, protest as he pleases; he is incapable of it, and cannot know his own incapacity. Alas for girls in a family where the atmosphere of vile thinking, winnowed by the carrion wings of degraded and degrading judgments, infolds them! One of the marvels of the world is, that, with such fathers and brothers, there are so few wicked women.

She understood by a fine moral instinct what respect was due to her, and what respect she ought to show, and was therefore in the truest sense well-bred.

Born tyrannical, the characterless submission of his wife had nourished the tyrannical in him.

"What do you think the first duty of married people, Mercy—to each other, I mean?" he said.

"To be always what they look," answered Mercy.

"Yes; but I mean actively; what is it their first duty to do towards each other?"

"I can't answer that without thinking."

"Is it not each to help the other to do the will of God?"

While one is yet only *in love*, the real person, the love-capable lies covered with the rose-leaves of a thousand sleepy eyed dreams, and through them to the dreamer but the barest hints of the real person of whom is the dream. A thousand fancies fly out, approach, and cross, but never meet; the man and the women are pleased, not with each other, but each with the fancied other.

Till a child is awake, how tell his mood? until a woman is awaked, how tell her nature.

"Some people think it wrong to marry anybody going to die, but at the longest, you know, sir, you must part sooner than you would! Not many are allowed to die together! You don't think, do you, sir, that marriages go for nothing in the other world?"

"I do not, Annie," he answered. "'The gifts of God are without repentance.' He did not give you and Lachlaw to each other to part you again!"

A Beautiful Easter Card.

The Virgin Salt Co., of New Haven, Conn., are making a grand offer to introduce their salt. Go and ask your grocer for Virgin Salt and get an elegant Easter Card. In addition we offer an extra inducement: a pair of Doves beautifully lithographed in ten colors, as natural as life, on a large card 9x10 inches. Virgin Salt is the cleanest, purest and whitest salt ever seen or used. A large package costs only 10 cents.

First Dude—"Yas, Chawley is a good enough fellow, but he is so feahfully defawmed, you know." Second Dude—"Defawmed? No I didn't know it. In what way is Chawley defawmed?" Why, Gawge, you see he has a hawid great cowlick wight on his forehead, so he can't part his hair in the middle. It's too duced bad, you knaw, for aside from his defawmity Chawley is a danged good fellah, you knaw."

To Prevent Small Pox.

To the Editor of the Journal:

A sure preventive of Small Pox without vaccination, may be found in Dr. R. C. Flower's Nerve Pills, prepared by the Flower Medicine Co., and sold by all druggists.

This has been proven by practical experience during one of the most dreadful epidemics of this disease ever known in America. M. D.

A Georgia boy, fifteen years old, has made a steam engine that runs a sewing machine.

LITERARY NOTICES.

THE MUSICAL RECORD for May contains several pieces of new music which are worth more than the subscription price of the magazine. Each number furnishes a generous supply of original pieces. The current issue is also well filled with musical news and gossip, and several good editorials. Published by O. Ditson & Co., Boston.

We have recieved the May number of GOLDEN DAYS, published by James Elverson, Philadelphia, and can truly say it is a good one. It is one of the largest and best filled magazines for young people that is published. Its illustrations are numerous, fresh and entertaining, and its literary contents are always first class. We cheerfully recommend GOLDEN DAYS to the patronage of all readers of the JOURNAL.

Miraculous Escape.

W. W. Reed, druggist, of Winchester, Ind., writes: "One of my customers, Mrs. Louisa Pike, Bartonia, Randolph Co., Ind., wrs a long sufferer with Consumption, and was given up to die by her physicians. She heard of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and begun buying it of me. In six months time she walked to this city, a distance of six miles, and is now so much improved she has quit using it. She feels she owes her life to it." Free Trial Bottles at W. W. Hill's Drug store.

A shiny new hat is not an infallible indication that the wearer is the lucky winner of a bet. A young man bought a hat, and upon exhibiting it to his wife said that he had won it. He did this to prevent her asking for a bonnet, as she always does when he buy a hat. It didn't have the effect desired, for she at once said: "That's good; you won't have to buy one now, and I can have the money for a bonnet."

Scott's Emulsion of Pure

Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, possesses the remedial power of these two valuable specifics in their fullest degree. Is prepared in a palatable form, easily tolerated by the stomach, and for delicate, sickly children, Emaciation, Consumption and all impoverished conditions of the blood is unequalled by any other remedy.

Justice—"Madam, what have you against this man?" Complainant—"Well, sir, he tore my dress off." "How did he do it, madam?" "Stepped on my trail, sir, and—" "Madam, that is impossible. This man is a city detective. He never got on anybody's trail in his life. The prisoner is dismissed."

A Sad Misfortune

Is to raise a nice family of boys and girls and then have them carried to an early grave by that terrible disease, Consumption. Heed the warning and check it in its first stages by the prompt use of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, warranted to cure and relieve all cases. Price 50 cents and $1. For sale by Chas. H. Buss. Trial size free.

Physicians may inveigh against violent exercise till the crack of doom, but so long as gardens will raise cucumbers, fences will have holes and neighbors will raise hens, woman isn't going through this life without an occasional yearning to transform herself into a blizzard.

Why continue the use of irritating powders, snuffs or liquids. Ely's Cream Balm, pleasant of application and a sure cure for catarrh and cold in head, can be had for 50c. at druggists. It is easily applied with the finger, is safe and pleasant and is curing the most obstinate cases. It gives relief at once.

Having experienced marked relief from nasal catarrh and hoarseness by the use of Ely's Cream Balm, I recommend it to singers, clergymen and others afflicted.—Louis E. Phillips, 1428 N. Y. Ave., N. W., Washington, D. C.

"Mother, how did it come that they fixed on a foot bein' twelve inches?" "I don't know, Johnny." "I'll bet you I do." "I'll bet you I do." "Well, how?" "Cause it was a Chicago girl's foot they measured."

Sick headache.—Thousands who have suffered intensely with sick headache say that Hood's Sarsaparilla has completely cured them. One gentleman thus relieved, writes: "Hood's Sarsaparilla is worth its weight in gold." Reader, if you are a sufferer with sick headache, give Hood's Sarsaparilla a trial. It will do you positive good. Made by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. Sold by all druggists. 100 Doses One Dollar.

A paper has been started called the *Indian*. It is safe to remark that the editor will soon be Lo in finances. Probably without a "red."

Ayer's Cathartic Pills are the best that can be employed to correct irregularities of the stomach and bowels. Gentle, yet thorough, in their action, they cure constipation, stimulate the appetite and digestive organs, and strengthen the system.

In Peterboro, N. H., there are two men 92 years old, two women nearly 81, and twenty-one women and eighteen men over 80 and less than 90.

Look at Him!

A year ago he was not expected to live. Liver complaint almost killed him. He got great relief from three bottles of Sulphur Bitters, and six bottles cured him.—*Editor Weekly Sun.*

L. A. Dow caught two salmon in a weir at Searsport, Me., the other day, which weighed thirty-seven and a half pounds, and brought him $1 a pound in Boston.

The "*constantly tired-out*" feeling, so often experienced, is the result of impoverished blood, causing enfeebled vitality. Ayer's Sarsaparilla enriches the blood, increases the appetite, and promotes digestion. The system, thus invigorated, feels new strength and energy.

Nearly $1000 has been received by ex-Gov. Rice, towards the fund for the erection of the first regimental monument at Gettysburg.

A single fact is worth a ship load of argument. This may well be applied to St. Jacobs Oil, which is more efficacious than all other liniments. Mr. John Gregg, a well-known citizen of Watsonville, California, found it to be indispensible as a cure for rheumatism. Price, fifty cents.

One Bible house, which has been established since 1814, has distributed no fewer than 6,350,000 Bibles.

An ounce of discretion is better than a pound of knowledge. Why not spend twenty-five cents for a bottle bottle of Red Star Cough Cure, and save a large doctor's bill?

THE EARLY USE OF ARTILLERY.

The Claims of the Chinese—Red-Hot Shot—The Paixhan Gun—Fortifications.

When Romulus was marking out the limits of his new city gunpowder was already known, and 2,000 years before the birth of Schwartz pieces of ordnance had been cast in China. The Moors used guns in Spain in the beginning of 1200, if not in 1100. The claims of the Chinese having been generally admitted, it is supposed that ordnance reached Europe through the Moors of Spain or the Venetians. Neither, however, had any connection with China. It is unaccountable that it should not have been perceived by the Turks, who conquered the northern portion of China, in the early part of the 13th century, and were established all around the Black sea, with the exception of a strip between Varna and the Bosphorus. It is now doubted whether, indeed, the Black Prince did use guns at the battle of Cressy; but there is no doubt that Murad I. had before then employed them at the battle of Cossovo. On both sides they were used, the Turks having already instructed the populations with whom they were at war. Employing artillery in the field, it was easy (reversing the process in Europe) to apply it to fortresses; the peculiar nature of the straits of the Bosphorus and the Dardanelles invited to its use.

To the batteries placed above Constantinople is attributed the fall of that city, the supplies from the Black sea being cut off. At a subsequent period and after the Venetians had penetrated into the sea of Marmora, they equally fortified the Dardanelles. The enormous caliber of the guns placed there still astonishes the traveler. In the campaign that followed the capture of Constantinople they had 300 guns. The siege train was equally remarkable for weight of metal and number of guns. At the seige of Scutari they cast into the place shot of fourteen hundred-weight. At that of Neuhoessel, in Hungary, on the first day 700 shots were gathered by the beseiged of not less three palms in diameter. The largeness of caliber was not the only point on which they anticipated modern invention. They employed red-hot shot at the siege of Vienna.

The howitzer seems also to have been an invention of theirs, and also its successive improvements; and even down to the time of Selim III they ran ahead of Europe in invention. One species, adopted by the Russians under the name of "Unicorn," gave rise to the Paixhan gun for red-hot shot and horizontal sheils. A battery of unicorns was taken from the Russians by the French after it had done good service at the battle of Smolensko. Napoleon, on seeing one of the captured guns next morning, is said to have exclaimed: "Ce sont ces diables la qui nous ont attrapes de si loin hier." An improved instrument of this kind was the consequence of their attracting Napoleon's attention, and the celebrated Paixhan gun subsequently appeared.

On one of these, and that of almost the smallest caliber, was based the new system of field artillery by Louis Napoleon Bonaparte. With this instinct for warlike instruments, and as the first introducers of artillery into European warfare, the Turkish corps of artillery must have occupied an important place in their armies. The same instinct extended to fortifications. Administrative disorder has prevented the application, and, therefore, seeing the dilapidation of their walls and the neglect of all sorts of works which has prevailed for a couple of centuries or more, these statements must appear extraordinary and incredible; but they rest on indubitable authority. They first used flanking-walls and mined glacis; they first made regular approaches, and devised the system of zigzags and parallels. The latter were distinctly planned at the sfege of Zegedetty, under Soleyman; and the former are mentioned at that of Candia, though of a peculiar fashion, and over-lying each other as the scales of a fish. They also first introduced mining, and even before the use of gunpowder reduced cities by burning down the curtains of the wall.—National Review.

Wonders of a Parisian Toy.

A wonderful toy has been on private exhibition in Paris. It cost an inordinate number of francs, or, as they say here, "les yeux de la tete." Fancy seven life-size kittens covered with real skin, but with eyes of emerald set in white enamel, and playing upon a flute, a zither, a violin, a drum, a harp, a cornet, and an accordeon, all perfectly harmonized and going through the most striking airs of the new and successful comic operas! The unseen mechanism is of the same kind as that of a musical box, and the sounds given forth are the most delightful, so that the owner of this remarkable toy can have a most agreeable concert at any time by touching certain springs and winding them up.—Paris Letter.

Mental Labor in Fashionable Society.

A defender of severe and exacting mental labor required to maintain a position in fashionable society cites as illustration of the mental strain and close study required to find out and remember the personal history of every member of the set to which the man or woman in question belongs, the skill to use this knowledge in such a way as always to flatter and never to offend, and the exercise of memory necessary to keep in mind all the society "events" of the season, who was at each, and to think who will be likely to be at future events. The writer says nothing about the waste of mental energy.—Chicago Times.

Dr. Schliemann in America.

Dr. Schliemann, the explorer of the Troad, has turned his attention to American antiquities, and is going to visit Mexico and the West Indian islands. Archæology on this side of the Atlantic is less tempting, but also a less delusive pursuit. The learned doctor will be apt to mistake Spanish mile-posts for Aztec monuments, while on the Hellespont all his learning could not make him sure if his concave chunk of brass was a Trojan helmet, a Grecian breast-plate, a Gallic shield, Byzantine baptistry or a Turkish wash-basin.—Dr. Felix L. Oswald.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria,

Jay Gould eats grapes of his own raising in January, strawberries from his own hot-houses in December, and peaches from his private conservatory in April.

My liver was so fearfully disordered and I felt so feeble and languid that I scarcely took interest in anything. Tried all the so-called remedies without relief until I used Parker's Tonic, which effected a permanent cure.—David Bash, Little Rock, Ark.

The last slave was sold in Virginia in the spring of 1865 for 100 cabbage plants.

Evaporating Water Upon Stoves.

The Iron Review does not approve of the practice of evaporating water upon stoves or in furnaces for the purpose of moistening the air. "The trouble is, most housekeepers maintain too high temperature in the rooms: the air is unduly heated, and hence arises the intolerable sensation of dryness. This sensation can be, and often is, produced in dwellings by high-pressure steam. Air heated to 80 degrees or 85 degrees produces very different physiological effects from that of 70 degrees. A rise of 2 degrees or 3 degrees in a room is noticed by those who are accustomed to a uniform temperature of 70 degrees or a few degrees below, and a sensation of uneasiness is produced. The great advantage of low pressure steam is that by its employment we are able to avoid high temperatures. With a boiler pressure just sufficient to drive the vapor through the coils a perfectly uniform heat is maintained. Once regulated it needs but little interference or care. The use of steam or hot water imparts no moisture to the air of dwellings.—Philadelphia Record.

To Make Drawing-Paper Transparent.

A conveient method for rendering ordinary drawing-paper transparent for the purpose of making tracings and of removing its transparancy so as to restore its former appearance when the drawing is completed has been invented by M. Puscher. It consists of dissolving a given quantity of castor-oil in one, two or three volumes of absolute alcohol, according to the thickness of the paper, and applying it by means of a sponge. The alcohol evaporates in a few minutes and the tracing-paper is dry and ready for immediate use. The drawing and tracing can be made either with lead-pencil or India ink and the oil removed from the paper by immersing it in absolute alcohol, thus restoring its original opacity. The alcohol employed in removing the first oil is of course, reserved for diluting the oil used in preparing the next sheet.—Frank Leslie's.

Hired Out to the Lowest Bidder.

In Switzerland, at least in some localities, the custom still prevails of hiring out paupers to the lowest bidder. One of the advertisements in newspapers published in the Canton Vaux reads: "The municipal authorities of Palizieux hereby announce that they have to provide for a man 76 years of age, in perfect health, and still able to work; offers to be addressed to the president of the municipal council." And another: "The municipal authorities of Le Lieu would like to hire out a woman 60 years of age, healthy and still able to work," etc. Both communities named are reported to be very wealthy.—Chicago Tribune.

Breach-of-Promise in Burmah.

A girl in Burmah is affianced early to one of her cousins, but the match may be broken off. In such a case the defaulter, if the man, has to give the girl five pots of khoung (a fermented drink) a bullock worth 30 rupees, a pig three feet in girth, a spear, a fork, a bag and a piece of ornamental cloth. If the girl breaks off the match she has to give the man a brass dish worth 15 rupees, a silk cloth and belt, each worth about 5 rupees, and a silk turban worth about 8 annas.

A Word That Bothered Him.

A young student was reading from a "black-lettered tome," when suddenly he looked up and said: "Can you tell me who So-met-i-mes means? An inspection of the volume showed that the old-time printer was not an adept at syllabification and that he had divided the word "sometimes" after a fashion of his own. On the upper line the syllable "so" with a hyphen after it led the reader into unknown depths of language.—Boston Budget "Saunterer."

A Few High-Priced Violins.

Mme. Norman Neruda gave $10,000 for the Stradivarius which belonged to Ernst; Wilhelmji $15,000 for another, for which he was afterward offered $25,000; Zeno Hubey, a professor in Brussels, $15,000 for Wieniawski's Guarnerius, and Zajic, of the Strasburg conservatory, $20,000 for another Guarnerius, which was the favorite instrument of Ferdinand David.—Exchange.

Three Ancient Statues Discovered.

In the course of some excavations at the Acropolis, Athens, near the Erectheum, three statues of women, in an excellent state of preservation, half as large again as life, with large heads, and completely colored were discovered. They belong to the period before Phidias, are delicately finished, and are of an archaic art, admirably preserved.—Exchange.

Power in Drawing Up Sea-Water.

Evaporation is a wonderful power in drawing the water from the sea. Every year a layer of the entire sea fourteen feet is taken up into the clouds. The winds bear their burden into the land, and the water comes down in rain upon the field, to flow back at last through rivers.—Scientific American.

Sweet Rest with Full Content.

The man of many years can look before and after, and, seated under the tree of life, enjoying "sweet rest with full content," he finds that the leaves which have fallen from its branches have but opened a clearer vision of the eternal stars.—George Bancroft.

Glue Factories in the United States.

In the United States there are eighty-two factories engaged in the manufacture of glue, and they employ altogether about 2,000 hands. The value of the product is about $5,000,000 a year.—Philadelphia Call.

Northern Limit of Russian Forests.

Recent surveys show that Russian forests generally reach their northern limit at 71 degrees of latitude, but near the Lena they extend nearly to 72 degrees.

Dr. Quinlan, a well-known Irish physician advocates the use of chloride of zinc in the composition of ball dresses as a preventive of fire.

The weight of a molecule of camphor sensible to the smell has been computed by Bordenave to weigh one 2,262,584,000th of a grain.

Take Warning

And don't let the germs of that vile disease, Catarrh, take root and flourish in your system. Sulphur Bitters will prevent this and will prevent this and will make you strong and healthy.—*Editor Weekly Press.*

When Indians paint their faces it means war. When women paint their faces it means war, too—against bachelors.

What is more disagreeable to a lady than to know that her hair has not only lost its color, but is full of qandruff? Yet such was the case with mine until I used Parker's Hair Balsam. My hair is now black and perfectly clean and glossy.—Mrs. E. Sweeny, Chicago.

A crazy quilt, composed of all black velvet scraps, with bright embroidery silks, would be rich and restful to eyes weary of kaleidoscopic effects.

"Age cannot wither it nor custom state its infinite variety." Flesh is hardly heir to an ache or pain which cannot be cured by using Salvation Oil.

PROGRESS IN PHOTOGRAPHIC WORK

The Camera Has Entered into Nearly Every Profession and Business.

He is wrong who thoughtlessly supposes that in the reproduction of the human face alone is photography doing important and considerable work. It has gone far beyond that field, to which it was so long confined, and now has entered into almost every profession, science and business. For the lawyer it does more work than most people dream of, in proving the genuineness of signatures, in establishing identity, and in copying important documents. For the surgeon it gives exact reproductions of wounds and operations, to help students of surgery who can not see the originals. The physician finds it of the greatest help in giving him photographs of diseases, sores, monstrosities and all the other things in which the true M. D. delights, as well as a perfect record of the progress of a cure.

In the astronomical world the camera has been of great value on such occasions as the transit of Venus and eclipses of the sun and moon. To scientific students it has given benefit in the way of more accurate illustration of books and lectures. To the student of art especially has it been of value by enabling him to study at his leisure the works of the old masters in copies exact in every particular except that of color, and with an advantage of ease of comparison that no gallery of originals could give.

It is the camera that has made the stereopticon a power for education, whether it be used in the college classroom, the public hall or the private parlor. All over the land pictures of foreign scenery, buildings and works of art, as they are thrown on the platform screen, are educating the masses; in fact, there is no better educator than the illustrated lecture. In the same line photography bids fair to do grand work in the columns of the newspaper—a work not to be sneered at because it is in its infancy.

To the business man the camera is of great help in the preparation of advertisements, circulars, catalogues labels, designs, plans and many other things. Every one knows how the rogue's gallery helps the law enforcers. Not least of all its good works, the camera has given the world a new recreation—one both so attractive and beneficial that it has secured in less than a dozen years thousands upon thousands of devotees.

In other respects the wonderful development of photography has far more significance, for while it has gained great commercial importance both as a work factor and a play-factor in the world's life, it has made itself a factor in the soul of the world by establishing its right to rank as one of the fine arts. When the camera and the chemicals replace the brush and the paints, art does not flee. In the guise of the muse of photography she lives, even though we have no Greek name for her.—Robert Luce in Boston Globe.

Bedsteads of the Ancient Romans.

The ancient Roman bedsteads were of considerable height, requiring a foot stool or set of steps to get into them, and were made like our largest sized sofas with a headboard, sometimes a corresponding one against the foot and a high back at the further side, but entirely open on the one on which the occupant entered. The frame was strung with girths, which supported a thick mattress on which were supported a bolster and pillow.—Boston Budget.

The Largest City In the World.

The population of London now exceeds every other city, ancient or modern, in the world. New York and all its adjacent cities combined are not equal to two-thirds of it. Scotland, Switzerland and the Australian colonies each contains fewer souls, while Norway, Servia, Greece, and Denmark have scarcely half so many. Yet, at the beginning of the present century the population of all London did not reach 1,000,000.—Chicago Herald.

Story of Mr. Ruskin's Early Love.

Here is his frank summary of the situation: "I had neither resolution to see Adele, the courage to do without her, the sense to consider what was at last to come of it all, of the grace to think how disagreeable I was making myself at the time to everybody about me. There was really no more capacity or intelligence in me than in a just fledged owlet, a just open-eyed puppy, disconsolate at the existence of the moon."—Pall Mall Gazette.

Creosote as a Steam Generator.

Some remarkable and very successful experiments have been made at Portsmouth, England, on the use of creosote as a steam generator in ships-of-war. The creosote is contained in a tank, and kept at a uniform temperature and consistency by steam-coils running through it, and steam injectors force the vapor into the furnace.—Boston Budget.

The Best Races in Africa.

The natives in the southern portion of Africa—the Zulus, Basutos, Swarzies, and Bechuanas—are among the best races in Africa; they are exceedingly bright, have regular and handsome features and small feet and hands, and are at all times friendly.—Chicago Ledger.

Paris with a Clean Face.

Paris is so attractive because it appears every morning with a clean face. The streets are thoroughly swept, and even washed when they want it. The house fronts are periodically scraped, or scoured, under heavy penalties for neglect.—London News.

Inwardness of the Debating Club.

—A young Scotchman has discovered the true inwardness of the debating club. Hurrying along the street in his best clothes, he was stopped by a friend and asked where he was going. "I'm gawn to the debatin' society," he said, "to contradick a bit."

Manuscript of Pope's "Pastorals".

One thousand dollars was lately paid by a London autograph collector for the manuscript of Alexander Pope's essay on "Pastorals." Like all Pope's manuscripts it is seamy with interlineations and corrections.—Chicago Journal.

JAMES PYLE'S PEARLINE

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INDIGESTION

To strengthen the stomach, create an appetite, and remove the horrible depression and despondency which result from Indigestion, there is nothing so effective as Ayer's Pills. These Pills contain no calomel or other poisonous drug, act directly on the digestive and assimilative organs, and restore health and strength to the entire system. T. P. Bonner, Chester, Pa., writes: "I have used Ayer's Pills for the past 30 years, and am satisfied I should not have been alive to-day, if it had not been for them. They

Cured

me of Dyspepsia when all other remedies failed, and their occasional use has kept me in a healthy condition ever since." L. N. Smith, Utica, N. Y., writes: "I have used Ayer's Pills, for Liver troubles and Indigestion, a good many years, and have always found them prompt and efficient in their action." Richard Norris, Lynn, Mass., writes: "After much suffering, I have been cured of Dyspepsia and Liver troubles

By Using

Ayer's Pills. They have done me more good than any other medicine I have ever taken." John Burdett, Troy, Iowa, writes: "For nearly two years my life was rendered miserable by the horrors of Dyspepsia. Medical treatment afforded me only temporary relief, and I became reduced in flesh, and very much debilitated. A friend of mine, who had been similarly afflicted, advised me to try Ayer's Pills. I did so, and with the happiest results. My food soon ceased to distress me, my appetite returned, and I became as strong and well as ever."

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A recent very entertaining sketch in the *Youth's Companion* relative to torpedo warfare reminds us of an experience at Charlestown bar in the fall of 1863, while the writer was an officer of one of the iron clad monitors in the squadron at that place. The time was early in October. After a summer of active hostilities, both on shore and in the fleet; having driven the enemy from Morris Island, gained possession of Fort Wagner, planted the "Swamp Angel," and reduced Fort Sumter to a ruin; the iron-clad fleet were on guard inside the bar, while the wooden fleet were at anchor several miles outside, to prevent the entrance of blockade-runners.

Rumors were afloat of the construction of torpedo boats at Charleston for the purpose of destroying the Union fleet, and as a consequence more active measures were taken to guard against them. The crews of the iron-clads were busily employed in constructing nets which were suspended in the water at a distance of several feet from the hull by means of spars; anchor cables were arranged to be slipped at a moment's notice, and other necessary precautions were taken.

The night of Oct. 5 was quiet and dark. The sea was unusually calm. It was our turn to proceed after dark to a point in the channel near Fort Sumter and remain there at anchor till nearly daylight, to prevent any ship from passing out or in to Charleston harbor during the night. Two bells had struck, and a part of the crew were asleep in their hammocks awaiting their turn at the mid-watch. The berth-deck lights were out and some of the ward-room officers were also asleep in their berths, when a sudden alarm was heard from the deck, a quartermaster came rushing down below, and immediately the shrill boatswain's whistle rang throughout the berth-deck, followed by the hurried order, "*All hands to quarters!*" This was a familiar call in those fighting days and every hammock was immediately emptied. The officers were soon at their posts, the engine fires brightened, the cable slipped, and everything made ready to proceed in any direction which appeared to be required.

The guns' crews were ready at their places (the armament consisted of two heavy smooth bores, one 11 inch and one 15 inch, the latter carrying a shell weighing 360 lbs.) the magazine and shell rooms were opened, and everything made ready for active work; and what was the occasion of all this noise and bustle at this quiet hour of the night?

The keen eye of the officer on watch as he paced the iron deck had detected in the distance, a pale blue flame approaching along the surface of the dark waves from the direction of Charleston. He had hailed the intruder and received no reply, and hence the sudden alarm. The object was the smoke pipe of a torpedo boat, which had now approached within a few rods of us. The smoke pipe and hatch-way protruded but a short distance above the surface of the water, making it impossible to depress our immense guns sufficiently to strike it. The crew were hurriedly ordered to the turret and began firing with muskets at the boat as it passed us. It was now quite plain that we were not the object of its attack. Other iron-clads in the fleet had heard the commotion and were also preparing for action.

At some distance down the channel lay the New Ironsides, the most powerful iron-clad of the U. S. Navy. It was evident from the course of the torpedo boat, which we could distinguish by the blue flame creeping over the dark waves, that she was bound toward the frigate. On arriving at a point just abeam her direction suddenly changed and she steered directly for the side of the ship. The officer on duty also hailed her, and was answered by a rifle shot, from the effects of which he died soon after, and a moment later the torpedo exploded against the iron plating just beneath the surface of the water. The waves dashed high in the air for a moment, and all was still again. Anxious to know the result, a boat was sent off to the Ironside and intelligence received that no material damage was sustained to the vessel. Some of the iron plates were started a little, and a cook who happened to be sitting near the point at which the torpedo struck and was sorting eggs for the next day's breakfast, was upset and his eggs smashed into an incongruous mass.

A brisk musketry fire was kept up from the Ironsides as long as the torpedo boat was in sight. The explosion of the torpedo produced so much agitation of the waves, as to wash the waves down the hatchway and extinguish the engine fires. Commander Glassell (a deserter from the U. S. Navy) and the pilot who were provided with life preservers, jumped overboard and were made prisoners by the captain of a coal schooner which was at anchor a short distance further down the channel. The fate of the torpedo boat with its crew, has always been a matter of historic doubt, although Confederate newspapers of that date claimed that she returned to Charleston in safety.

JOHN SMITH.

Wakefield, April, 1886.

Railroad Building During the War.

From General Grant's article on the Chattanooga campaign, in the *Century*, we quote the following description of the means employed to open a second line of supplies during the siege: "General Dodge, beside being a most capable soldier, was an experienced railroad builder. He had no tools to work with but those of the pioneers—axes, picks, and spades. With these he was able to intrench his men and protect them against surprises by small parties of the enemy. As he had no base of supplies until the road could be completed back to Nashville, the first matter to consider, after protecting his men, was the getting in of food and forage from the surrounding country. He had his men and teams bring in all the grain they could find, or all they needed, and all the cattle for beef, and such other food as could be found. Millers were detailed from the ranks to run the mills along the lines of the army; when these were not near enough to the troops for protection, they were taken down and moved up to the line of the road. Blacksmith shops, with all the iron and steel found in them, were moved up in like manner. Blacksmiths were detailed and set to work making the tools necessary in railroad and bridge building. Axemen were put to work getting out timber for bridges, and cutting fuel for the locomotives when the road was completed; car builders were set to work repairing the locomotives and cars. Thus every branch of railroad building, making tools to work with, and supplying the workmen with food, was all going on at once, and without the aid of a mechanic or laborer except what the command itself furnished. But rails and cars the men could not make without material, and there was not enough rolling stock to keep the road we had already worked to its full capacity. There were no rails except those in use. To supply these deficiencies I ordered eight of the ten engines General McPherson had at Vicksburg to be sent to Nashville, and all the cars he had except ten. I also ordered the troops in West Tennessee to points on the river and the Memphis and Charleston road, and the cars, locomotives, and rails from other railroads to be sent to the same destination. The military manager of railroads also was directed to furnish more rolling stock, and as far as he could, bridge material. General Dodge had the work assigned him finished within forty days after receiving his order. The number of bridges to rebuild was one hundred and eighty-two, many of them over deep and wide chasms. The length of road repaired was one hundred and two miles."

A Canadian Dog Story.

A lad was crossing the fields in the country, some distance from any dwelling, when he was pursued by a large and fierce dog belonging to the gentleman whose land he was crossing. The lad was alarmed and ran for his life. He struck into a piece of woods, and the dog gained on him, when he looked around to see how near the creature was, and tumbling over a stone, he pitched over a precipice and broke his leg. Unable to move, and at the mercy of the beast, the poor fellow saw the dog coming down upon him, and expected to be seized and torn, when, to his surprise, the dog came near, and perceiving the boy was hurt, instantly wheeled about and went for that aid which he could not render himself. There was no one within reach of the child's voice, and he must have perished there or have dragged his broken limb along and destroyed it, so as to render amputation necessaay, if the dog had not brought help. The dog went off to the nearest house and barked for help. Not receiving attention, he made another visit of sympathy to the boy, and then to the house, there making such demonstrations of anxiety that the family followed him to the place where the child lay.—*Canadian News.*

A Public Benefaction.

How to laundry linen as it is done in Troy, N. Y., has been kept a secret long enough; it can and should be done in every family. The ELASTIC STARCH is the only starch in the United States that is put up by men have a practical knowledge of the laundry profession. It requires no cooking, keeps the iron from sticking and linen from blistering while ironing, and gives shirts, cuffs and collars that stiffness and beautiful polish they have when new, which, everybody knows keeps them clean twice as long. Beware of imitations. See that the name J. C. HUBINGER & BROS., New Haven, Conn., is on every package.

She—"What a man you are, George; always making fun of the ladies' taper waists." He—"And what should I do with a taper, but to make light of it."

Our Dumb Friends.

In address of March 11th before the "Young Men's Christian Union," of Boston, on "Our Duty to Animals," Mr. Angell said that one evening might be well given to anecdotes of their intelligence and fidelity; a second, to the rise and progress of societies for their protection in Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia, North and South America; a third, to the work of the Mass. Society alone—what it had done, and how it had none it; a fourth, to the great subject of transportation in which it was estimated a few years ago that nearly 600,000 animals annually died on the cars; a fifth, to the almost equally great subject of slaughtering in which millions are now annually killed in this country with great and unnecessary suffering; a sixth, to the treatment of animals in the extreme Southern and Western States and Territories. It was estimated by the New York Tribune that nearly 2,000,000 cattle died on the plains last winter of neglect and starvation. A seventh, to the destruction of our insect-eating birds. The New York Ornithological Society has estimated that nearly 5,000,000 of our song and other birds are now annually destroyed to ornament the hats, bonnets and dresses of American women. An eighth, to the wrongs inflicted upon the horse, especially in old age; a ninth, to useless vivisection. Dr. Henry J. Bigelow says that out of the vast destruction of animal life by vivisection he is not aware that one important useful discovery has ever been made in America. A tenth, to the importance of humanely educating children to be kind to animals; an eleventh, to the happiness a love of these lower creatures brings into the lives of those who love them; a twelfth, to the doctrine held by more than half the human race including John Wesley, Jeremy Taylor, Bishop Butler, Coleridge, Lamartine and Agassiz, that there is a future life for animals as well as men, and our religious duty to God's "cattle on a thousand hills," and his other creatures we call dumb.

Mr. Angell said he would not undertake to fix precisely the duty of other people. He had deemed it his duty to give up his profession, and for some eighteen years give most of his time, and some thousands of dollars in money in trying to secure better protection for the lower animals. He had been made happier by it in this life, and he hoped the recollection of it would make him happier in the next.

Blinders were invented by an English nobleman to hide a defect in the eyes of a valuable horse, and then they were found to be good places for the nobility to put on their coat of arms, and so they came into fashion. They injure the eyes of horses and have caused thousands of accidents, because horses with blinders cannot see behind them.

Some people when their horses become old, or sick or lame, sell them for a small sum to cruel men, who beat them and kick them, and starve them, and otherwise abuse them, and then the poor horses have a hard time until they die. I think that a good horse that has worked faithfully for his master until he is worn out never ought to be sold. When he has become too old or worn out to serve a good and merciful master, then he should be killed in a merciful way without pain. This can be done in one instant by shooting him just in the middle of the top of the front of the head, pretty near the top of the forehead.

It is just as cruel to keep a horse in his stable for days without exercise, fresh air and sunshine, as it would be to keep a boy thus. Horses should have some exercise every day.

The Hog's Importance.

The hog is not only of importance at home, but is beginning to make a respectable showing in our exports, although Bismarck is doing what he can to keep him out of Germany. Meanwhile, we have frequent discussions on eating pork, and the propriety of setting one side the Mosaic law which prohibits its use as food, a law which our Hebrew friends religiously obey.

The hog is not however to be exterminated. A newly arrived Irishman once said to the inmate of a pigsty: "Bedad, you are the only gentleman in America, the only being that lives without work." He breaks into gardens and roots under the gates of front yards. He enters into the composition of half your articles of food; he lies down boldly in your meat platter; he gets into your pies and cakes, making a sad mess of them. Your cook makes you a loaf of bread. The hog is in it. You take a slice of "nice Saratoga potato." The hog is all around it in a delicate film, giving it flavor and crispiness. He is at the bottom of much of our dyspepsia and biliousness. We cannot escape him. He is everywhere dead or alive. We eat hog, breathe hog; our midnight slumbers are disturbed by the yell of his drivers, making night hideous; and finally, our humane sensibilities are shocked by his cries, as he is being offered an unwilling victim to our swinish appetites.

I have somewhere read that some where read that some heathen cosmogonist made the earth to rest on a boar, the boar rested on a turtle, and the turtle on an elephant, and the elephant did not rest on anything. We take the liberty to question this theory; but it is quite unquestionable that the world of Christendom rests to a certain extent, commercially and dietecally, upon the hog, which the great lawgiver and writer of the first five books of the Bible absolutely prohibited, and that too, doubtless for sanitary reasons, which are everlasting and immutable.—*Ben; Perley Poore.*

No other preparation so concentrates and combines blood-purifying, vitalizing, enriching and invigorating qualities as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Quality should be considered when making comparisons.

How Postage Stamps are Made.

The design of the stamp is engraved on steel, and, in the printing, plates are used on which 200 stamps have been engraved. Two men are kept busy at work covering these with colored inks and passing them to a man and girl who are equally busy printing them with large rolling hand presses. Three of these little squads are employed all the time. After the small sheets of paper containing 200 printed stamps have dried enough, they are sent into another room, and gummed. The gum used for this purpose is a peculiar composition, made of the powder of dried potatoes and other vegetables, mixed with water. After having been again dried, this time on little racks fanned by steam power for about an hour, they are put between sheets of pastboard, and pressed in hydraulic presses capable of applying a weight of 2,000 tons. The next thing is to cut the sheets in two, each sheet, of course, when cut, containing 100 stamps. This is done by a girl, with a large pair of shears, cutting by hand being preferred to that by machinery, which would destroy too many stamps. They are then passed to another squad of workers, who perforate the paper between the stamps. Next, they are pressed once more, and then packed and labeled and stowed away to be sent out to the various offices when ordered. If a single stamp is torn or in any way mutilated, the whole sheet of 100 stamps is burned. Not less than 500,000 are said to be burned every week from this cause. The greatest care is taken in counting the sheets of stamps to prevent pilfering by the employees; and it is said that, during the past twenty years, not a single stamp has been lost in this way. During the process of manufacturing the sheets are counted eleven times.

Lucky Men Who Get Rich.

"Some men do have luck in this world, for a fact," said a seedy-looking individual who had taken a fifteen cent lunch on State street, near Harrison, and who now stood in front of the Palmer House manipulating his toothpick, "but I ain't one of them.

"In my time I have invested many a good thousand dollars in mining stocks and never made a hit yet. A hit was what I needed to make about as bad as anybody ever needed it, but I couldn't make one.

"Now just look at Marshall Field. He hasn't been suffering for a dollar for a good while. Yet a few years ago, in settling with a country merchant, he was induced to take $300 worth of stock in the Chrysolite mine.

"He didn't want to take the stock and offered to make a big discount for cash, but the country merchant was hard up and so the dicker was made.

"Field took the stock, put it away in his safe, and in seven years has drawn $30,000 in dividends.

"I've heard, too, though I don't know how true it is, that about all the money he ever invested in mining property was his profits from this first venture.

"He has a most invariably been lucky, and has probably made more money out of silver mines on a smaller investment than any other man in Chicago. A rich man for luck every time."—*Chicago Herald.*

Saved From the Branding.

"One of the few patents that make big money," said an attorney, "is a simple thing called an ear-mark for live stock. It consists of two tubes, one of zinc and the other of brass, the brass tube made the smaller and fitting into the other with a little spring projection to hold it in place. When this is stuck through a critter's ear only the zinc is in contact with the flesh, and that zinc has well-known healing properties, is shown in the use of zinc collar pads for horses. The end of each tube is a disc about the size of a nickel, and on the brass disc are initials and numbers. A Chicago firm is doing a big business in these marks. A stockraiser can have his own private mark; same as branding and, if he desires, have all of his cattle numbered consecutively. They cost $5 a thousand, and are much used in the West. They are used for cattle, horses, hogs and sheep."—*Chicago Herald.*

An Enterprising, Reliable House.

W. W. Hill can always be relied upon, not only to carry in stock the best of everything, but to secure the Agency for such articles as have well-known merit, and are popular with the people, thereby sustaining the reputation of being always enterprising, and ever reliable. Having secured the Agency for the celebrated Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will sell it on a positive guarantee. It will surely cure any and every affection of Throat, Lungs, and Chest, and to show our confidence, we invite you to call and get a Trial Bottle Free.

There was a wedding breakfast. The groom to the little girl—"You have a new brother, now, you know." "Yeth," responded the little one, "ma seth it wath Lottie's lasth chance, so she had better take it." The rest of the little one's talk was drowned in a clatter of knives and forks.

Why continue the use of irritating powders, shuffs or liquids. Ely's Cream Balm, pleasant of application and a sure cure for catarrh and cold in head, can be had for 50c. at druggists. It is easily applied with the finger, is safe and pleasant and is curing the most obstinate cases. It gives relief at once.

Having experienced marked relief from nasal catarrh and hoarseness by the use of Ely's Cream Balm, I recommend it to singers, clergymen and others afflicted.—Louis E. Phillips, 1428 N. Y. Ave., N. W., Washington, D. C.

You might as well try to squelch an Irishman's love of country as undertake to convince a young mother that her baby is not "forward for its age."

SPRING STYLES

—AT—

Munroe's Clothing Store.

We are now offering the largest line of SPRING OVERCOATS and SUITS ever shown by us. NEW, STYLISH and WELL MADE GARMENTS at prices as low as the lowest.

Also, a complete assortment of STIFF and SOFT HATS, comprising all the latest styles and shapes.

Please call and examine our new goods.

C. M. MUNROE,

Post Office Block, - - - Woburn.

General Doubleday Beaten.

The lack of discipline in the Union army in the early part of the war is exemplified by a couple of anecdotes told by Col. W. A. James, an old and well known veteran: "When we were in the defenses before Washington in 1861 General Doubleday, a rigid martinet, was in command of the brigade, which was made up almost entirely of young and untrained soldiers. One of them, a lank and overgrown Westerner, was doing picket duty one day when Doubleday, glorious in gilt and brass, rode by on his charger, accompanied by his entire staff. As they passed the big Westerner stared at them with open-mouthed wonder, and neglected to salute. The General noticed the error, and rode back with fire in his eye.

"What is your name?" he asked the picket.

The picket told him.

"Well, I am General Doubleday, commanding the defenses of Washington."

"Are ye, indeed!" said the soldier, nonchantly. "Waal, ye hev a goshfired fine job, and I hopes ye can hold it."

The General galloped off again without a word.

At another time a soldier who was digging a trench hit his captain on the head with a clod of dirt. The officer rushed up and reprimanded the private.

"Now, look-a-here, Cap," said the latter, "my business here is digging and yours is bossing the company on parade, and if you attend to your business I'll attend to mine."

Few People Escape

The taint of scrofula in the blood. With many it is hereditary; but it may also be acquired from want of air or lack of exercise, from improper food, or any cause which brings about weakness of the body and impurity of the blood. The disease is characterized by running sores, abscesses, swellings, enlarged joints, sore eyes, etc. No medicine has been so successful in curing scrofula, as Hood's Sarsaparilla. The most terrible running sores gradually disappear under the purifying and strengthening influences of this great medicine. If you are a sufferer from scrofula and desire more evidence as to the wonderful success of Hood's Sarsaparilla, send to C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass., for a book containing many remarkable cures.

Shakespeare somewhere uses the term "a mad wag." He probably referred to the tail of a mad dog.

Many ladies admire gray hair—on some other person—but few care to try its effects on their own charms. Nor need they, since Ayer's Hair Vigor restores gray hair to its orinimal color. It cleanses the scalp, prevents dandruff, and stimulates the growth of the hair as in youth.

We should think a shad would be pretty confident of a thing when he feels it in his bones.

Dr. Gross, physician at St. Vincent's Hospital, Baltimore, Md., considers Red Star Cough Cure perfectly harmless, being purely vegetable and entirely free from opiates, poisons, and other narcotics. Other professionals also endorse it as prompt, safe and sure. Price, twenty-five cents a bottle.

A man should buy ready-made shoes if he wants something to wear well, because he never sees the last of them.

Neuralgic pain is usually of an intensely sharp, cutting or burning character, and is constant or intermittant. To relieve this torture and effect a speedy and permanent cure rub thoroughly with Salvation Oil, the greatest pain cure on earth. Price 25 cents a bottle.

A woman refused to give a meal to a dwarf the other day, because she was opposed to dine-a-mite.

Stated by H. R. Cochran, druggists, Lancaster, Pa.: "Have guaranteed over 300 bottles of Burcock Blood Bitters for dyspepsia, sour stomach, bilious attacks, liver and kidney troubles."

The pupil of one's eye is made to attend to business by the lash that is held over it.

James Pyle's Pearline is acknowledged to be the best preparation in use for laundry purposes. It enables the washer to cleanse the clothes without wearing them out with tubbing or pounding.

"We meet but to part," as the brush in the dude's hand said to the comb.

"For forms of government let fools contest." For ordinary life it is enough to know that Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup cures coughs and colds.

An anomoly in pantaloons—They are never tight when they are full.

Some remarkable cures of deafness are recorded of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Never fails to cure earache.

Curious transformation—When a horse is turned into a pasture.

CUSTOM

Tailors' Misfits.

WHAT DOES'NT FIT ONE MAN WILL FIT ANOTHER.

Remember the above fact when you need Clothing; and also remember that the Clothing which the Boston Misfit Clothing Company have on sale is all work that was originally custom made by the leading Tailors of the country. Then bear in mind that we are selling these fine goods at less than half what the tailor expected to get. With our hundreds of suits we can fit you really better than the tailor can by taking your order. Better still, we can give it to you at less than half price.

EXAMINE OUR PRICE-LIST.

$45.00	Spring CUSTOM SUIT for		$23.00
40.00	"	" "	19.00
35.00	"	" "	16.00
30.00	"	" "	14.50
40.00	Custom Spring Overcoat for		18.00
35.00	"	" "	16.00
30.00	"	" "	14.00
10.00	Custom Pantaloons for		5.00
8.00	"	" "	4.00

A few SPRING OVERCOATS, Silk and Satin Lined, fine finish, at fifty per cent. of their cost.

The above garments are all cut and trimmed in the latest style, and are the best productions of the leading Artist Tailors in the Union, such as have for some cause or other been unsmashed for, or left on their hands on account of being a misfit. Our assorted stock enables us to fit all—large or small.

FULL DRESS SUITS FOR SALE OR TO LET.

Boston Misfit Clothing Co.

639 Washington St.,

Cor. Boylston St. Up one Flight.

Open evenings till 9 o'clock.

Cut this out so as to remember the number, 639 Washington St., cor. Boylston, up one flight.

A Beautiful Easter Card.

The Virgin Salt Co., of New Haven, Conn., are making a grand offer to introduce their salt. Go and ask your grocer for Virgin Salt and get an elegant Easter Card. In addition we offer an extra inducement: a pair of Doves beautifully lithographed in ten colors, as natural as life, on a large card 9x10 inches. Virgin Salt is the cleanest, purest and whitest salt ever seen or used. A large package costs only 10 cents.

A well-built man stopped a few moments in the Bowery the other night to listen to a German band and suddenly dropped dead. This must have been a more than ordinary malignant band. Most men are taken sick after hearing that kind of music, but it is not often fatal in its effects.

Scott's Emulsion of Pure

Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, possesses the remedial power of these two valuable specifics in their fullest degree. Is prepared in a palatable form, easily tolerated by the stomach, and for delicate, sickly children, Emaciation, Consumption and all impoverished conditions of the blood is unequalled by any other remedy.

Lieutenant (to a brother officer): "I have ill-luck in getting married. A fair one without money my father objects to. A homely one with money my personal feeling objects to. A fair one with money her father objects to. A homely one without money—why, naturally everybody objects to.

Look at Him!

A year ago he was not expected to live. Liver complaint almost killed him. He got great relief from three bottles of Sulphur Bitters, and six bottles cured him.—*Editor Weekly Sun.*

In olden times they used to punish a man for lying by boring a hole through his tongue. In modern times they quit it, because a man's tongue would not last more than six weeks, if a hole was put in for every lie he told.

What is more disagreeable to a lady than to know that her hair has not only lost its color, but is full of qandruff? Yet such was the case with mine until I used Parker's Hair Balsam. My hair is now black and perfectly clean and

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, MAY 14, 1886.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S Horton, 195 Main Street, A. Robie, 186 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E Wyman, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at the Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

☞ The secret circular sent by General Master Workman Powderly to the Knights of Labor in Chicago a few days ago to be read in all the Assemblies there this week is a sound business-like production that will be likely to do good. It abounds in wise counsel, common sense, and practical suggestions which if followed may save trouble and make things better for the Knights. If Mr. Powderly is allowed his own way he will mould the Order into such a form that it will become a great benefit not only to its members and workingmen generally but to employers as well. He is capable of it, and has ability to manage the affairs of the Order much more wisely than any other general officer of it or person prominent in its councils. Mr. Powderly takes a practical, common-sense view of the labor situation, and while he would exact the last farthing due the workingman he would wage no unjust warfare against capital or the owners of it. More men like Mr. Powderly in the organization would be a good thing for it and better for the business interests of the country.

☞ It looks now as if Premier Gladstone's scheme for Irish home rule will certainly be lost in the House of Commons when it reaches a vote. Ten days ago Mr. Gladstone and friends of the measure thought they could safely count on a large majority for it, but within that period a great many members under the leadership of Mr. Chamberlain and Lord Hartington have deserted the colors of the Prime Minister, and it is confidently predicted that a second reading of the bill, which is now under fire, will be overwhelmingly defeated. If so, it will be a back-set to Ireland, but not a final settlement. Her emancipation from present political misrule is only a matter of time, and agitation will not cease until it is an accomplished fact.

☞ Last Wednesday the House put a quietus on the water gas scheme in the Legislature. Representative Crane of this town introduced a substitute for the bill before the House which provided for the repeal of the present law on the manufacture of gas, and although he got forty-eight other members to join and vote with him his substitute was defeated, and nobody in Massachusetts can now make water gas. Capt. Crane was on the right track, but the influence of the old gas companies was too many guns for the success of his measure. Water gas has got to come though, and then it and coal gas will have to yield the floor to electric lights, which is to be the illuminator in the future.

☞ The Massachusetts General Court is rushing business at a speed that ought to satisfy the worst of grumblers. As the time approaches for final adjournment more hours per day are given to law-making and unmaking, and members appreciate the fact that they must show a good record or fail of a re-election next fall. The present Legislature has been called by some slow, but when the session comes to an end we think it will be seen and admitted that there have been slower ones—in fact, that it has been a working, intelligent and useful Legislature on the whole.

☞ The President has tendered to Hon. John E. Fitzgerald of Boston the office of Collector of Internal Revenue now held by Hon. Eben F. Pillsbury, by whom probably it will be accepted. Mr. Fitzgerald will make a good Collector no doubt, but no better than Mr. Pillsbury. His appointment is regarded as a snub to Congressman Collins whose success in distributing the New England patronage has not altogether pleased the President, having, it is said, made recommendations of doubtful propriety. The Boston post-office appointment still hangs fire.

☞ A terrible tornado struck Kansas City last Tuesday forenoon which killed some twenty-five persons and did immense damage to property. A large school house was demolished in which twelve children lost there lives and nine others were seriously injured. At the court-house, which was destroyed, two lives were lost and many persons badly hurt. It was the most destructive cyclone in property and life that ever visited that part of Missouri.

☞ We have received a circular from George B. Goodwin, Esq., U. S. Consul at Annaberg, Saxony, showing the value of exports from that district to the United States, for the quarter ending March 31, 1886, which footed up $712,251.10—more than double the amount for the corresponding quarter in 1885. The exports consists chiefly of dress trimmings, music goods, gloves, buttons, lace, embroidery, etc.

Mrs. Louise Chandler Moulton will sail for Europe aboard the Cephalonia from Boston on June 3.

☞ The Knights of Labor everywhere condemn the riots and murders of the Chicago socialists. They have no sympathy with that class of mischief-makers nor with their modes of operation, but contrariwise, condemn them and their lawless deeds.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

W. E. Carter—Rink.
T. C. Evans—Stetson.
L. L. Whitney—Sale of Lots.
J. G. Maguire—App. for License.
Paine's Furniture Co.—Furniture.
Town of Woburn—Assessors' Notice.

— The awning man is doing a land-office business here just now.

— Woburn's County tax this year has been assessed at $3968.01.

— Fred B. Leeds has just received and has on draft a fresh lot of Saratoga Water.—2 w.

— Mr. Amos Cumming makes an interesting business announcement in these columns.

— Officer Mulkeen is at the helm in the absence of Chief Nelson. He presides very well indeed.

— At the Congregational church nine children were baptized by Dr. March last Sunday morning.

— The School Board failed to make connections last Tuesday evening and so no meeting was held.

— There is pie-plant enough in our markets to knock all the doctors in town out in one round, seemingly.

— Mr. W. E. Carter has been granted a license for his Skating Academy for the current year.

— Mr. Connolly says everything is running as smooth in labor circles as the finest machinery well oiled.

— Yesterday was another of those charming spring days that we read about but enjoy only at rare intervals.

— The town is on the eve of buying a new star-spangled banner for use in airing its patriotism. Good idea.

— Mr. Hickey's team ran away Wednesday morning and created quite a stir in the streets for few moments.

— The number of the Boston Clothing House was misprinted last week, it should have been 148 instead of 178.

— Mr. W. F. Simons has been appointed Superintendent of the Southern Division of the Boston & Lowell Railroad.

— A mere glance at the fish in Tabor's market is enough to make the mouth of the most stoical person in town water.

— Business has been very brisk with our old and highly esteemed umbrella-mender this week. Everyone has his harvest season.

— We thank Mr. Warren Teele of Davenport, Iowa, for the large number of newspapers he has been so kind as to send us lately.

— Friend Leeds has got that great, handsome soda fountain to work in fine style. He makes his own syrups, and they are delicious.

— The "notions" that can't can't be found in Curtis's Bazaar need not be searched for with expectations of success on this continent.

— Pitcher Titcomb of the Philadelphias is a Woburn lad, and bids fair to become the champion baseballist. They all call him a good one.

— Prior & Mann say the boot and shoe trade is firstrate at the Woburn Shoe Store. Their stock and prices can't help but make a good trade.

— Carpenters have been placing the sills of the new depot this week. Work on the building, which is to be a handsome one, is progressing in good shape.

— Our venerable contemperary down the street complains because the School Board have had no meetings lately. He wants something to fill his paper with.

— Nowhere in this country can there be seen such a magnificent display of choice Furniture as exhibited by Paine's Furniture Company, 48 Canal Street, Boston.

— Besides the rain mentioned in another item considerable drizzling has been done this week, which has given vegetation a boom that ought to last all summer.

—Those who claim to be judges say Woburn roads, generally speaking, are the best anywhere to be found. Mr. Johnson says he is going to keep up the reputation.

— We suppose the statement that there is not in this town a larger stock of dry goods than that kept by Copeland, Bowser & Co., can't be successfully assailed.

— C. A. Smith & Son have had a capital run on carpets this spring. Why shouldn't they? They keep just as good carpets and sell as cheap as any Boston dealers.

— In arranging the rooms for the missionary meeting last week, Dea. Gage had the forefinger of his left hand crushed and taken off. It was a very painful accident.

— The Standing Committee man of the *Advertiser* erroneously thinks the JOURNAL don't want any 4th of July celebration. He gets strange quirks into that head of his.

— Our officers should keep a sharp eye out for those liquor-sellers who are inclined to break the law by keeping open after midnight and on Sundays. They'll bear close watching.

— Charlie Munroe and the Old Woburn Bookstore are pluming themselves on new steps to their places of business. Prior & Mann and the post office plumed some days ago.

— The very excellent entertainment given by the Band of Hope in Fraternity Hall, last Monday evening, drew a full house, and afforded a great deal of real enjoyment to all present.

— The authorities are earnestly debating the question whether or not to cut down the great handsome elm in the Square, just north of the Common. "Woodman, spare that tree."

— The headquarters of the Knights of Labor are kept open every day and evening and members occupy them almost constantly. The rooms are in Whicher's block under Emerald Hall.

— Rev. Mr. Hilliard, rector of Trinity church, has resigned, and, we like to have said, returned to Boston, but he hasn't been away from there much since his settlement over Trinity here.

— In respect to bombshells lying around loose and the fear which their presence engenders in timid minds the columns of the *Advertiser* are better than a dose of Mrs. Winslow's soothing syrup.

— "Dennis McGuire" is respectfully informed that he can't quite come it over us a second time. He's a cute one, but the application he makes for "boarders" won't go down with this reporter.

— The question of issuing a 2000-edition of a cheap business book setting forth the favorable features of Woburn as a manufacturing locality is under thoughtful consideration by the Board of Trade.

— The *Globe* man is mystified over a tag with "145" on it found attached to the leg of a carrier-pigeon killed near Bow street the other day. But "there's luck in odd numbers says Rory O'Moore."

— A heavy rain storm set in early last Saturday morning and continued all through the day. The large quantity of rain which fell did a vast deal of good, for it broke a pretty stiff kind of a drouth.

— The Basket Party given by Perseverance Division, S. of T., the other evening was a very nice affair and very successful in every point of view. The exercises were interesting and highly entertaining.

— "Bro. Hobbs went astray several times in various directions last week," etc.—*Advertiser*. One of the ways was in insisting that Woburn has a business boom, which the *Advertiser* will not admit.

— The "intelligent compositor" would have it in the JOURNAL last week that William Walshendorff committed suicide whereas it was Edward. We are all liable to mistakes. William is alive and well.

— Mr. W. H. Cummings has sold several lots between New Boston and Beech streets on which houses have been and will be built this season. It is desirable property for building purposes, and the price asked is low.

— Representative Crane voted for the Tobin bill authorizing the appointment to office of honorably discharged soldiers and sailors without civil service examinations, which was passed to a third reading last Tuesday.

— "Wat" Brown has quite a sizable and thrifty garden around his gate-house on Church Avenue, from which it looks as though he might gather green peas and roast lamb earlier than any other agriculturist in town.

— One day this week Hon. A. E. Thompson received his commission of Notary Public for Middlesex County from Gov. Robinson. His first appointment to the office was made by Gov. Boutwell, away back.

— Suburban Press Association will hold a meeting at the New England Hotel, Boston, to-morrow, "for transaction of such business," etc. We all know what that means—the editor of the *Advertiser* is one on 'em.

— William Winn, Esq'r. has taken out his auctioneer's license again this year. He has held the position continually for more than forty years, and is the oldest as also one of the best auctioneers in Middlesex county.

— The *Advertiser* casts a slur on the fair fame of Mr. Henry W. Hodges of Montvale by insinuating that the late burglary of that gentleman's house graphically described in this issue of the JOURNAL was nothing but rum.

— New names are being added to the Board of Trade's roll of members with a rush. Every business man, and every one who wants to see Woburn keep right on shooting ahead, applies for membership to the Board of Trade.

— By good rights another watercart ought to be put on our streets. The one pair of horses that now do the work have to travel nigh on to 30 miles a day, and people grumble that they are not wet down enough at that.

— Capt. Crane returned from the House Hoosac Tunnel excursion last Friday evening none the worse for the trip. But then, our Representative is a pronounced temperance man, which makes all the difference in the world.

— The managers of the Boston & Lowell Railroad Company have voluntarily and without previous notice raised the pay of freight conductors to $60 per month, and that of freight brakemen to $47, on the southern division of their line.

— We have strong suspicions concerning the "row back of Connolly's," on Tuesday night, which a correspondent says a policeman witnessed and then went off and arrested a woman. He says seven rounds were fought. Too thin!

— The engine broke down at Duncan's factory just off No. Warren street several days ago since and while putting in a new one his large number of men are out of work. It will take some days yet to start up the factory again.

— The first annual ball given by the Grocers' Clerks on last Friday evening was a highly successful and agreeable affair. A very large number of people was in attendance; the music was excellent; and everything passed off very pleasantly.

— Already some people are beginning to think about their summer vacation and talk about the beaches. A shade of anxiety rests on the countenances of a few, induced, as we think, by doubt as to where the money is coming from.

— Sunday afternoon ramblers with girls and lovers of beautiful landscapes and all that sort of thing have resumed visits to Rag Rock, which splendid eminence is alive with nicely dressed-up humanity every Sunday afternoon after meeting.

— The mechanics are making good progress on the new residence of Col. H. B. Hayes on Main street, which when completed will be one of the very best in town. It is large, convenient, thoroughly built, and furnished with all modern improvements.

— Mr. Charles H. Barnes, 512 Washington street, Boston, announces some very fine bargains in his card in this issue of the JOURNAL. It will be observed that his stock consists of a great variety of goods, and everyone will tell you he sells very cheap.

— Chief of Police Nelson and Landlord Cobb of the Central House went down to the Rangeley Lakes a few days since to fish. The Chief left his family at the old home at Berwick, Maine, on his way. We are expecting every minute to see Woburn flooded with trout.

— It won't be long now before open cars will be running on the N. W. street railway. That will be nice. As soon as the Governor affixes his sign manual to the bill the company will begin on the extension of the line to Winchester. Won't Winchester be glad!

— The presence of the venerable Mr. O. Rich in town last Wednesday seemed as natural as could be. He is now living in Waltham, where he has three sisters each over 80 years old—one 86—and is himself 77. His health is good and he stands as erect as Sawyer's pines.

— Rev. D. D. Winn, pastor, has invited Posts 33 and 161, G. A. R., to attend meeting at the Baptist church on Sunday evening, May 30, and the invition has been accepted. The Posts will be present in bodies, and the services are to be appropriate to the memorial occasion.

— The present new-fangled, patent, double-back-action gates at the railroad crossings in this town are doomed to early retirement. It would take the best kind of an engineer to run them, and then they wouldn't run. They are no good, and new ones will be put in this week.

— The ceremonies of Memorial Day will be held on Monday, May 31, by order of the commanding officer. This is because the 30th falls on Sunday. We understand the services here will be made of more than ordinary interest. Hon. B. F. Whittemore will deliver the memorial address.

— It seems that none of the applicants for license to sell rum had their prayers rejected. We thought at the time the statement was a singular one, but the JOURNAL repeated it on supposed good authority, and felt easy. But it was wrong, which is seldom the case with the JOURNAL.

— The number of men unemployed is not unusually large this spring, so our reporter is informed. There are always more or less men, from one cause or another, out and that is about how it is now. The factories seem to be pegging away much as usual and turning out leather galore.

— Messrs. J. O. Cummings & Co. of North Woburn have signed the agreement made between the Knights of Labors and proprietors of factories, which completes the arrangements all around. The proprietors of other shops had previously signed the articles, and now everything is lovely.

— By request Dr. George S. Dodge will lecture at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. next Monday evening, to men only. He lectured in the same place and probably on the same or a kindred subject last Fast evening and gave good satisfaction. A full attendance is earnestly desired by the lecture committee.

— Owners of tenements and lands will do well to keep prominently in mind that if their prices are pitched on too high a key they will not be able to either rent or sell. Be willing and wise enough to take a fair price and the houses will not stand long empty, nor the house-lots long unsold and unimproved.

—At a special meeting of the Board of Selectman last Tuesday evening a large number of liquor licenses were granted which was about the extent of business transacted. From present appearances there will be about one licensed rum-seller to each 240 inhabitants in this town this year, which ought to be enough in all conscience.

— Mr. W. C. Holdsworth inaugurated the ice cream campaign at his elegant parlors in the Trull store on Main street last Saturday evening. A good company were present, the cream was delicious, and it was highly enjoyed. His place will be popular for ice cream parties as ever the season gets a little more advanced.

— Lightfoot's subscripition concert given in Lyceum Hall last week Thursday evening was a fine one. There was a very fair house present although the audience was not as large as it should or would have been had the character of the concert been better understood. The artists (all colored) stand very high in musical circles.

— The Broom Company, whose brilliant drill last Tuesday evening is noticed elsewhere, had their photographs taken by Strout on Wednesday, by whom copies of it are for sale. The young ladies were taken in military dress, artistically grouped, and together make a handsome picture worth preserving for future reference.

— The apple and pear bloom is very thick and heavy this spring which may or may not indicate a good crop of both kinds of fruit. We have observed that, in matters of this kind, one can't almost always tell how the thing is going to pan out in the fall. We know of no reason why this year should be made an exception to the general rule.

— A Woburn lady recently called on and was introduced to President Cleveland, and when the mutual friend gave him the name of the lady's home, "Oh, yes," said he, "I know about Woburn; some of my ancestors lived and died in that town, and I am very glad to meet you, Madam;" showing that the President keeps run of his ancestry.

— Discussing the scheme for a street railway in Biddeford and Saco the *Journal* of the former city has this to say about the street railway in general, which, it will be perceived at a glance, is applicable to the extension of the No. Woburn line to Winchester and eventually to Boston: It is important as a great public convenience and as showing the prosperity of the city that sustains it; it enhances the value of real estate, attracts capital and stimulates trade. A city without such modern improvments and conveniences is looked upon from the outside as being without enterprise and of little importance.

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— We note by the public prints that a member or two of the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx has recently been dropped from the rolls for desertion, which means that, as is usually the case, there are those belonging to the Company who do not take interest enough in it to attend meetings, drills, etc. It is lucky for these "deserters" that it isn't war times.

— It is learned at this office from private but perfectly reliable sources that Mr. E. Cooper, at the B. & L. depot, is making great preparations for celebrating the 67th anniversary of the birthday of the Queen of England. It will be a notable affair unless Gladstone's home rule measure for Ireland passes, in which case the celebration will be indefinitely postponed.

— The family of Mr. Thomas H. Hill, who have been in the South the better part of the last year, are now visiting friends at Rome, Georgia, and will soon start for the North by the way of Savannah, and arrive here about the first of June. Mr. Hill and family will occupy the house of the Superintendent of the Water Works, near the pumping station, belonging to the town.

— A machine used by Jonathan Thompson in making lint for wounded soldiers in the War of 1812, presented by his daughters, Mrs. A. A. Newhall and Mrs. Amos Whittemore, has been donated to the Woburn Public Library, and placed in the Antique Department of that institution, where it is on exhibition. It is quite a curiosity, and still effective for its original purpose.

— Last week the Cambridge *Press* had a comprehensive biographical sketch and notice of Rev. N. B. Fisk, the new pastor of the Cottage street M. E. church of that city, and late the greatly beloved pastor of the Woburn M. E. church, which we will reproduce next week. Mr. Fisk has got nicely settled in his new parsonage, and although his heart is with the old Woburn home, we are glad to learn that he is pleased with his present charge.

— One might infer from a certain publication that John G. Maguire, Esq., had concluded to go into the liquor business rather hefty for a place of this size, for in that publication he figures as an applicant for about fifty licenses to sell intoxicating drinks. Allowing he wanted to go into business it isn't very easy to see what he wanted so many licenses for. But the truth of it is, he was merely acting as attorney for other applicants.

— The proposed free-delivery of mail matter for towns and cities containing over 10,000 population, now before Congress, would take in this town, but there is very little prospect of the measure being adopted, and it never ought to be. The special delivery project inaugurated a year or so ago, which has fallen flat, is another instance of the wisdom of impracticable men. The idea was destitute of everything that had the least squint towards "business."

— C. D. Adams, Esq., gave an informal talk on Law at the C. L. S. C. meeting last Tuesday evening. He spoke particularly of matters that come under the jurisdiction of the District, Circuit and Supreme Courts of the United States, so illustrating the various legal points by specific cases that no one realized that he was listening to an address on a "dry subject." A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Adams for so generously giving the Circle an evening of entertainment and instruction.

— Particular attention is called to Mr. Carter's announcement of a grand exhibition of trick and fancy skating at his Academy to-morrow, Saturday, evening, by Martin and Laurie, two of the most popular and successful professional fancy skaters before the public. The exhibition will be an affair worthy of a houseful of spectators, and we shall be surprised if the Academy is not filled. Such another opportunity to see wonderful feats on rollers will not be afforded in this place for a great while, if ever.

— We understand the Sun Electric Light Company of this place have made some contracts of late that will be greatly for their benefit. The quality of the lamps made by the company and some important inventions by Mr. Slattery have brought the concern into favorable notice near home and farther away, and within a short time its productions will take the lead of all others in the country. The company are very greatly encouraged by an excellent future prospect, and in the mean time their factory is a busy place.

— In their daily perigrinations for town statistics the Assessors find a great many people settled among us who were not here on May 1, 1885. Looking over their books the other day we saw names of new-comers from Boston, Lynn, Arlington, Stoneham, towns and cities in Maine, and elsewhere, all of which demonstrates that our place is growing. Everybody knows it is growing, except the *Advertiser*, to which esteemed cotemporary we would apply the old saw: there are none so blind as those who do not want to see.

— A perusal of the always lively and interesting reports of the proceedings of the Legislature discloses the fact that some gas companies are applying for charter amendments to allow them to supply the electric light to their customers. Senator Harlow has made such application for the Woburn Gas Company—indeed, he has a bill before the Legislature now for an amendment of their charter in the respect named. Wise managers of gas companies see it: electricity is to be *the* illuminator, heater, and motor at a very early future period. Gas people are prudently preparing for the inevitable change.

— Although quite a number of members was at the Rooms no meeting of Executive Committee of the Board of Trade was held last Tuesday evening. There were strong attractions elsewhere which with the weather and other things prevented the gathering of a quorum at any given time. We understand the special committee on business have several things on the string which, it is believed, will eventually be secured and prove a benefit to the town. They are reaching out for manufacturing establishments and in the course of the season we look for great success to crown their efforts. The whole Board are at work vigorously for the public weal.

— Ephraim Cutter, the pianist, Benjamin Cutter, the violinist, and Bolan, cornet, have an engagement to furnish music for the principal mountain hotel at North Conway, during next July and August. It is conceded that the Cutters are excelled by nobody, not even by the best and most famous foreign talent, at their favorite instruments. If we remember correctly Mr. Benjamin played the violin a year or so in the Imperial Orchestra at Berlin, which means, he is away up in the pictures so to speak, and Ephraim is equally skilled on the piano. If there are any echoes hid away in the hills of North Conway the above trio will wake them up this summer.

— The last Woburn Directory was published in 1884, and it is high time there was a new one. It has become nearly useless from age and times' whirligigs and changes and we are glad to know that its publisher, Mr. Mark Allen, will get out another very soon if proper encouragement is proffered him in the shape of advertising and subscriptions to the book. There ought not to be the least trouble on that head—a Directory is needed very much and our business men should freely and generously help it along with their patronage. Mr. Allen has already secured a pretty good subscription to the publication, but must have more else he will be compelled to abandon the scheme.

— Last Monday evening Elizabeth Trull Munroe, only child of Mr. and Mrs. John I. Munroe of Academy Hill, died of pneumonia, aged sixteen years and a few months. On the Friday previous she was riding around town with her mother; the next day was attacked with a fatal illness; and her funeral took place on Thursday. The deceased was an amiable young lady, loved by a large circle of friends, old and young, and was the idol of fond and devoted parents. The hearts of all these were filled with deep sorrow when her sudden and unexpected death was announced. The sad event is a terrible blow to Mr. and Mrs. Munroe, and in their great bereavement the community deeply sympathize with them.

— In response to enquiries several carpenters have informed the JOURNAL since its last issue that there are a great many houses in process of building in this place. The exact number cannot be ascertained except by interviewing each builder, and their number renders this mode impracticable, or at least it would be a task calculated to discourage investigation on that line. The general report however is that houses are going up in different parts of the town; some are well on towards completion; the foundations are being laid for others; and land sales for building purposes are quite numerous. A firm of Lowell builders have three houses certain on the stocks and more contemplated, and many, if not all, of our home carpenters have their hands pretty full of work. These facts speak well for the prosperity of our town. Brisk movements in real estate and such utilization is a sure sign of progress and growth of population.

— Mr. Edward F. Johnson of this town, clerk of the court, has in preparation a digest of the Woburn record of births from 1640 to 1886, which he intends to publish. This work when accomplished will be as useful to future ages, as the literary labors of his lineal ancestors, Captain Edward Johnson, the first recorder or town clerk of Woburn, and one of the earliest and quaintest historians of New England. An idea of the magnitude of this undertaking is seen when it is known that Mr. Johnson's work on the births alone will number some 17,000 entries, with an almost innumerable collection of surnames, there being 206 surnames commencing with the letter C alone. Mr. Johnson has gone over the ground in a general enumeration for the basis of his work, and is now about beginning to fill in the entries. This work deserves great public encouragement, and we hope he will be induced to perform the same for the records of marriages and deaths also, when the proper time shall come.

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— There was a smashup of coal and freight trains at West Medford last Wednesday evening which disarranged travel bad. It occurred at just the time of day when the greatest number of trains are passing each way over the road, and was very annoying to those who hate late suppers, also to those people here who had tickets at $3.00 each for Salvini's great performance at the Boston Theatre. No one was injured except in feelings, which was fortunate. After the accident trains "ran wild" and were terribly "mixed" all the evening. Scores of people who should have been here at 5 o'clock did not arrive until 8, and that after walking from Somerville to West Medford. A derailed coal train was the cause of the trouble.

— On next Tuesday, May 18, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises, L. L. Whitney, Esq., by Messrs. William Winn & Co., auctioneers, will sell at auction the very desirable piece of land containing about two and a half acres, being a part of the estate of the late Dea. White, on Montvale Avenue, nearly opposite residence of John S. True, Esq., to the highest bidder. The property is first class either for tillage or building purposes, being only eight minutes walk from the Common, depot, churches, schools, etc., and as pleasantly located as any tract in town. People contemplating building for personal occupation or to rent should attend this sale, for it will doubtless offer a rare opportunity to buy. For further particulars consult L. L. Whitney, Esq.

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MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

UNITARIAN.—Preaching at 10.30 a. m. by Rev. W. H. Savage, brother of Rev. M. J. Savage. All are cordially invited.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL.—Rev. Dean Richmond Babbitt of Newton Highlands, will preach at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. All are invited.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 P. M.; Service of Praise and Preaching at 7 P. M. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

The Scandinavian Evangelical Society, Y. M. C. Rooms. Sunday, preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 m. Praise meeting at 6.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Bible Reading, Friday at 7.30 p. m. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise meeting at 4 o'clock. Boys' meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30. Scandinavian services Sunday at 10.30, Wednesday evening at 7.30. Reading Room open daily from 6.30 to 9.30 p. m., Wednesday excepted. Boys' Branch at 7.45 p. m., on Tuesdays. Sunday 9 a. m. Prayer meeting.

Danish Evang. Lutheran (St. Peters) Society, 218 Main street. Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m., praise meeting. Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock, preaching by Rev. V. A. M. Mortensen, pastor.

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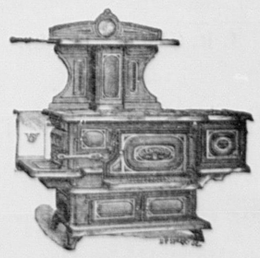
Married.

In Winchester, May 6, by Rev. Charles R. Seymour, Hugh J. Erskine and Mary Donegby, both of Winchester.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, April 18, Flora Rogers, aged 5 mons. 2 days.
In Woburn, April 20, M. King, aged 12 years, 3 months.
In Woburn, May 1, M. Dorrington, aged 62 years, 6 months.
In Woburn, May 9, Mrs. Levina E. Buck, aged 86 years, 4 months, 13 days.
In Woburn, May 7, Jane C. James, aged 57 years, 8 months, 17 days.
In Woburn, May 9, Martin Wall, aged 11 years, 10 months.
In Woburn, May 9, Patrick Hennigan, aged 18 years, 23 days.
In Woburn, May 10, Elizabeth Trull Munroe, aged 16 years, 8 months, 21 days.
In Woburn, May 13, Henry Wendall, aged 73 years. Prayers at house Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited.
In Winchester, May 9, Mary Connolly, aged 49 years.
In Lancaster, May 5, Nancy Richardson, wife of Caleb T. Symmes, aged 66 years, 9 months, 29 days. A native of Woburn.



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— Last year's members of the Board of Trade ought not to say: "well, I don't see that it has done me any good, and I guess I won't renew my membership this year." For, bless you, dear men, it has done you good—heaps of it—and is bound to do you more good in the future if you will only take right hold and help sustain it. No man can truthfully say the Board of Trade has not been a great benefit to this town. That is conceeded on all hands. Its fruits are to be seen scattered all about; and doesn't that which benefits the place generally benefit each person in it? Yes, if the greater includes the less, and there won't anybody dispute that proposition, we reckon. Hold your grip, gentlemen. You're got to go only half as far into your pocket this year as last, so, don't be backward about it.

— A gentleman about 36 years old said to this scribe the other day that the half dead appletree trunk that leans lovingly against the west side of the Armory presents about the same interesting appearance now that it did when he first saw and took notice of it, say 30 years ago, or more. He can't see that it has changed any in anything. As an ornament it was just about as valuable 30 years ago as now, and vice versa. It was little if any more rotten then than to-day; the angle of its lean has remained about the same through all these years; and the public Forester away back in the "fifties" was just about as loth to cut it down and remove it as he is at the present more advanced stage of human civilization. Which suggests the question: "What are you going to do about it?"

— Mr. J. H. Carter of Burlington left with us yesterday a leaf from a printed annual report of the Selectmen of that town for the year 1815, which is a curiosity. Many of the items in the report are a study. Among them is one on March 20, 1815, "to 2 1-2 mugs toddy for Selectmen" furnished by John Walker; March 27, "3 mugs of toddy for Selectmen;" May 21, "1 mug of toddy Selectmen;" all provided by Mr. Walker. Moses Parker received $30 for "teaching a singing-school in said town." Mr. Joel Winship was paid $3.90 for "taking care of the Meeting-house for the year 1815," and Ishmael Munroe $1.00 "for mending great meadow Bridge, 1 plank and half a day." He also received $1.90 for "setting glass in the Meeting-house, 9 squares and putty." And many others like it. That was 71 years ago.

— The Board of Trade ought, if possible, to secure the location of the repair shops of the B. & L. R. R., which, it is said, are soon to be moved from Cambridge. With proper efforts it seems as though this might be done. There is a plenty of land and many sites here admirably adapted to such a use. There is a tract at North Woburn between the R. R. crossing of Main street and School street containing many acres that could be bought very cheap and make just the best spot out for the repair shops. Other tracts might be named equally as good for the purpose. A special committee to look after this matter would be a wise provision, and we hope one will be appointed. We can make an effort for the shops, and if we fail nobody will be hurt very much. In fact, there is no knowing whether we can secure the location of the shops or not until we try.

— The broom-drill, which took place in the large vestry of the Congregational church on last Tuesday evening was well attended, very successful, and highly enjoyed. Nothing has pleased an audience there so much for a long time. Several military evolutions were performed, exhibition of tactics given, which the young ladies went through in the very finest style. It was apparent that they had thoroughly learned the movement from their teacher, Drill-master Horace N. Conn. The officers of the Company were: Captain, Lena Brown; 1st Lieut, Grace Cummings; 2nd Lieut, Mabel Moore; 1st Lieut and Adjutant, Agnes Shaw; Sergt Major, Emily Brown; 1st Sergt, Mamie Parker; 2nd Sergt, Alice Cottle; Corperals, Florence Richardson, Lizzie Alexander; Markers, Alice Richardson, Lillian Brooks. The private soldiers were: Addie Alexander, Ada Carter, Mattie Conn, Hattie Couillard, Mamie Davis, May Fifield, Julia Fowle, Blanche Grant, Edith Hanson, Fannie Hartwell, Addie Hinckley, Flossie Munroe, Bertha Nute, Emily Perkins, Mamie Prior, Annie Richardson, Mabel Ronco, Carrie Wallace. Bugler, Mason McKay; Drummer, Carle Dow; Pianist, Mrs. Emma T. Dow. After the drill there was fine reading by Cora Hall of Winchester; piano duets by Mrs. Emma T. Dow and Mrs. C. M. Strout; a very fine solo by Mrs. Walter O. Bacon, and other pleasant and agreeable exercises.

— We take the following "From my note-book" in the May number of the *New West Gleaner*. Miss Hall was a popular and successful teacher in the Woburn schools at one time, and it will be remembered that she delivered an address in the Congregational church here on the work in which she is engaged, a year or two since: "Miss Fannie Hall, of the Burlington School, Ward 20 [Salt Lake City], is recognized as one of the most efficient teachers in our work, with as good a building as Miss Winslow's, and as well appointed, except that she greatly needs an organ, that fifty dollars from some benevolent friend could buy. She has a school of over eighty pupils that she teaches alone, and teaches admirably. Her Sunday School is a great success, and I preached there at an evening service, in which every nook and corner was filled with people, old and young. The array of young men was grand. A more inspiring audience is rare. To see that people, many of whom were never in any other ante-Mormon place of worship, cluster about that earnest Christian woman, was worth going a long way to witness. Miss Hall was a pupil of mine in the Bridgewater, Mass., Normal School in years gone by, and my pride in her and her work is pardonable." In a letter published in the same issue of *New West Gleaner* Miss Hall tells how earnest the children of Salt Lake City are to attend her school, and how hard it is to turn so many away.

— The last meeting of the Woman's Club was held on the seventh of May, in the parlors of the Congregational Church. The speaker, Mrs. Neymann of New York, read a paper on "Business Women." Instead of sketching the career of a few prominent and successful individuals, she spoke of the duties women owe to themselves in the matter of education, and the immense benefit which would accrue from practical training,—training with a view to future self support. Business education, the lecturer stated, has made much greater progress abroad than in our own country, and opens to women easier and wider paths to independence. Women of to-day have more leisure than those of preceding generations. Machinery and modern inventions have greatly reduced the amount of manual labor. New activities and larger undertakings therefore become necessary. For these "wider fields" the education of the present does not fit young women. If they succeed at all, in trade, or speculation, it is only after many blunders. "They, in short," as a member of the club said during the brief after discussion, "blunder into success." These facts are not new, but they do not lose force by repetition. In closing, the subject of co-operative housekeeping was touched upon and pros and cons considered. The next meeting was announced to take place on the twenty-first of May, in the vestry of the Unitarian church. Mrs. Livermore will speak on "Sight and Insight."

Meeting of the Doctors.

The annual meeting of the Middlesex East Dist. Med. Society was held at Stoneham on last Tuesday and was attended by nearly or quite all of its members, who were the guests of Dr. Nickerson of Stoneham, by whom a very nice annual dinner was provided for the occasion. The Doctor did the very handsome thing by the "visiting brethren," and his courtesy was duly appreciated.

Dr. Seth W. Kelley of Woburn was chosen Chairman of the meeting and presided during its deliberations. After the preliminaries were properly settled the meeting proceeded to the choice of officers for the then ensuing year, which resulted as follows:

President, Dr. W. F. Stevens.
Vice-President, Dr. Seth W. Kelley.
Secretary, Dr. Daniel March, Jr.
Treasurer, Dr. Dow.
Councillors, Drs. John M. Harlow, Jordan, and F. F. Brown.
Censors, Drs. Nickerson, Sheldon, Winsor, W. S. Brown.

The meeting was a very pleasant one, and the election gave good satisfaction.

North Woburn.

The annual meeting of the Village Union was held Monday evening, in the Chapel, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:—Pres. Mr. H. C. Boynton; Vice Pres. Mr. B. F. Kimball; Sec., Miss C. S. Parks; Treas., Mr. O. T. Curtis; Executive Committee, Mr. E. M. Munyan, Mr. H. S. Watson, Mr. D. W. Bond, Rev. Chas. Anderson, Dr. Bixby, Mrs. H. S. Watson, Mrs. S. R. French, Mrs. D. W. Bond, Mrs. E. M. Munyan, Miss Lizzie Cummings, Miss Katie McDermott. The next meeting will be held in the vestry of the church June 14th.

Montvale.

Patrick Burns, whose wife was recently taken to the Insane Asylum at Danvers, has disappeared and no tidings of his whereabouts can be learned. He is a sober, industrious man, about 50 years old, 5 feet 10 inchest all, and it is feared his mind has become unsettled by troubles and overwork. He has several children.

The following item from the Stoneham *News* will be read with some interest by a brace of Boston reporters: "Thomas Merrill, who disappeared from East Woburn 25 years ago, leaving a wife and children and some property, and who was supposed to be dead, arrived last Tuesday in Woburn. He is 85 years and in good health. He has been out West. His wife is very ill and not expected to recover."

Mr. Thomas Merrill, who returned to the bosom of his family two weeks ago after an absence of 30 years, during which time he was supposed to be dead, and who is 85 years old, hastily flung his gripsack over his bending shoulders the other day, and again departed. He found that the scenes of his youth, of his loves and hates, of his successes and defeats, etc. etc., had lost their charms for him, and so, in his declining years, and away along near the end, he sorrowfully takes his staff and wanders out into the wide, wide world again, to grow up with the country and amass a fortune.

Mr. Henry W. Hodges had a severe but victorious fight with a burglar who entered his house on Nashua street about 2 o'clock last Sunday morning, and saved probably much valuable property. Mr. Hodges heard the thief prowling through the rooms and at once got out of bed and went for him. He met the midnight or rather early morning rascal just as he was emerging from the room of a daughter of Mr. Hodges, and tackled him. The burglar fought with desperation but Mr. Hodges was several too many for him, and at last pitched him down stairs. Hastily donning his day clothes the gentleman and his family repaired to the foot of the stairs expecting to find a corpse lying on the floor; but not so, the thief had made his exit from the house through an open window, and not a hide or hair of him has been seen since.

On Monday night the barn of Mr. Samson was burglariously entered but nothing taken. The house of Mr. Murray too was attacked, but in all their raids the thieves got no plunder.

Stetson's Shoe Store.

To our readers who buy their foot wear in Boston, we would recommend the Shoe Store of Mr. Stetson as a most excellent place to buy all kinds of Boots or Shoes of a perfectly reliable quality, at prices that cannot fail to be satisfactory. Any lady or gentlemen for from 2 to 3 dollars a pair can purchase from Mr. Stetson a boot or shoe that will give complete wear in every respect. His stock is large and well adapted to suit those who want a good article at a medium price. Stetson's Old Established Stand, 158 Hanover Street, right off the corner of Blackstone.

Representative J. W. Throckmorton of the fifth Texas district, has announced that he will not be a candidate for re-election to Congress.

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WINCHESTER.

Miss Anna Clark is building a house.

A school census is being taken by J. W. Richardson and A. E. Ayer.

Frank S. Covell graduated from the Massachusetts School of Pharmacy last week.

Mrs. Shumaker of Boston talked "Art" to the Fortnightly Club last Monday afternoon.

The dog tax is due, and some folks are likely to get into hot water if they don't attend to it soon.

"A Voter" (Wilson) gives the growlers over the new Town House site a big broadside in the last issue of the *Star*.

Judge Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Ayer have gone West—the former on business, and the latter for pleasure.

The Rev. Charles M. Southgate of Worcester will preach in the Congregational Church next Sunday both morning and evening.

The Henry F. Miller baseball club are ready to consider propositions for games from other clubs to be played on Saturday afternoons.

Mr. Henry Plummer, who didn't qualify as constable, has worked at Whitney's eleven out of the thirteen years that have run since he first was employed there.

Dr. March and Messrs. Blanchard, Twombly, Littlefield and Emerson are the committee to expend the $8,000 appropriation to enlarge and improve the High School building.

Contributions to the Boston Flower and Fruit Mission, which has done so much good in years past, should be forwarded to Mrs. E. E. Metcalf as early as Wednesday afternoon on each week. This is a grand work, and all our people who have flowers should kindly remember the Mission.

The B. & L. R. R. Company are making some fine improvements around the depot here. The Mystic station is to be transferred to the other side of the track and enlarged. Work has been commenced or laying more tracks to Boston. With four tracks and an improved depot things will shine.

The Baptist Society have raised the salary of their pastor to $1400. The officers for the current years, elected last week, are: Clerk, C. E. Corey; Treasurer and Collector, E. T. Whiting; Trustees, C. E. Corey, G. C. Dunklee, G. D. Moore. There is talk of repairing the meetinghouse at an estimated expense of $1,700.

I have no doubt at all that if a vote on the question should be taken to-morrow there would be quite a large majority in favor of the removal of every kind of manufacturing business now here beyond the sight and sound of Winchester. The fact is, the most of our folks are getting to be about as nice as they make them this year.

Gen. Corse went to Washington last week in the interests of Mr. Garcelon who has the appointment of postmaster here, but in whose confirmation there is a hitch. Chairman Brine and Congressman Lovering are opposed to Garcelon, but it is now believed that Gen. Corse will win the day and the new appointee will secure a confirmation.

Last Monday the workmen in Waldmeyer's factory presented Mr. James Mooney, Chairman of the Arbitration Board of Knights of Labor here, with a handsome and valuable K. of L. pin and $40 in money. This was done in token of the workingmen's appreciation of the valuable service rendered by Mr. Mooney as Chairman in adjusting the labor question with the Waldmeyer firm without trouble or friction, and to the satisfaction of everyone concerned. He has conducted the settlement with prudence and discretion, and everything has gone along smoothly with no hitch anywhere.

The Children's Concert under the auspices of the Good Will Club came off in the vestry of the Unitarian Church, last Friday evening, and was a very enjoyable affair. The programme was as follows:—Chorus, The Morning Call; Piano Solo; Recitation; Chorus, Dropping, softly dropping; Violin by Master Henry M. Twombly, with Piano Accompaniment; Recitation; Solo and Chorus, Tell him to halt; Kinder-Sinfonie, by C. Ven Remberg; Played by the Tyrolese Band, under the direction of Miss Mary D. Winsor; Duet and Chorus, Beautiful Songs of the Spring; Recitation; Song, Magic Curtains; Violin by Master Henry M. Twombly, with Piano Accompaniment; Trio and Chorus, Four-leaf Clover; Piano Solo; Recitation; Chorus, Gaily through the Greenwood; Kinder-Sinfonie, the Sleigh Ride by Chwatal; Played by the Tyrolese Band, under the direction of Miss Mary P. Winsor; Good-Night Chorus and Round, Mrs. W. H. Baily presided at the Piano Forte.—*Corr. of Advertiser.*

From B. Frank Swan, Boston. "I have been troubled with asthma for twelve years, and have employed skillful physicians of Boston, also two of the leading physicians of Augusta, without effect. I have felt nothing of this trouble since taking Adamson's Balsam."

Miss Kate Stoneman, a sister of General Stoneman of California, and a graduate of the State normal school at Albany, has successfully passed an examination for admission to the bar.

BURLINGTON.

Last Sunday morning at the church, the annual election of officers of the Sunday School was held. The following officers were chosen:—Thomas I. Reed, Superintendent; Frank Marion, Assistant Superintendent; Mrs. M. E. S. Curtis, Secretary and Treasurer; Walter Skelton, Librarian.

The exhibition of "Jarley's Wax Works" to be held at North Woburn has been postponed from Friday evening to Monday evening of next week.

At the annual meeting of the parish Tuesday evening the following officers were elected:—Parish Clerk and Treasurer, Samuel Sewall; Parish Committee, J. K. Woodman, W. H. Walker.

A concert of vocal and instrumental music, under the direction of Mr. W. M. Skinner, director of music in St. Stephen's church, Providence, R. I., will be given on Friday evening at 7.45 o'clock, in the church in Burlington. Half the proceeds are for the repairs of the church.—X.

LITERARY NOTICES.

We have just received the first number of a new story paper, THE NEW YORK WAVERLY, together with a beautiful *oil picture* in twelve colors entitled Evening Devotion. The publication is first class in every respect, well filled with serial and short stories, poems, &c., by the best authors. Its general make up and illustrations are far ahead of similar publications, and judging from the first number its stories will prove of thrilling interest. With number seven the publishers give away the picture Evening Devotion, size 20x28, which is well worth a place in any home. The subscription price is $1.00 for four months, or $3.00 per year. It can also be had of all news agents at six cents per copy.

THE NEW MOON, published by the New Moon Publishing Co., at Lowell, ought to have prompt-paying subscribers all over the country. When the magazine first started, with the feeling of "can any good come out of Nazanth?" towards the place of its nativity and life, it struck us that its journey through a brief existence would be far from thornless, and perhaps it would be just as well for community; but that was all wrong: it lives, sails smoothly along, is popular, and really stands as one of the very best monthlies published in New England or elsewhere. We like it. Its contents are fresh, highly meritorious in a literary sense; the editorials are crispy and have point—briefly it is a magazine worthy of a liberal patronage.

Japanese Letters.

Boston Globe: "A reader of the *Globe* named Talbot sent me a box of 'Hak-ka' for Hay Fever. I have had seven years of sneezing, coughing, swearing, and this August it began more virulent than ever. I used Talbot's 'Hak-ka' three times, and although the fever was at the high tide of successful demoralization, I haven't sneezed but twice since, and that was two days ago. I don't know Talbot, I never saw Talbot; but he ought to become a millionaire in one season." HOWARD.

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Thomas A. Edison has returned to Akron, O., with his bride, and next week they will go to New York to spend the summer, returning to Florida in the fall.

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Carlotta Patti thinks great artists are not as highly appreciated by this as by the past generation.

Abel Hosmer of Concord, Mass., lives on the farm which has been owned by his ancestors since 1635. He is 90 years old.

Senator Logan will speak at Providence, R. I., under the auspices of the Young Men's Republican Club, on May 21. He will be the guest of Governor Wetmore.

Miss Marian Foster, the lame artist, who has been in Washington during the winter, has returned to New York. She had a profitable season at the capital.

Miss Marie Van Zandt, the singer, is now at Weisbaden, where, it is said, she has greatly improved in health, and that her complete recovery is only a question of time.

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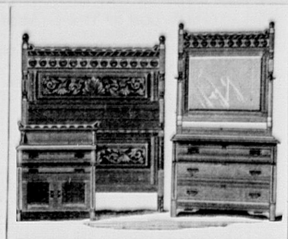
ADJOURNED

Trustees' Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a license granted by the Judge of the Probate Court, in and for the County of Middlesex, the subscribers, trustees of the estate of Oliver Bacon, deceased, will sell at public auction, MAY 17, 1886, at 4 o'clock, P. M., on the respective premises, a tract of land, situated in Woburn, on the northerly side of Pleasant street, being lots Nos. 1 to 17 inclusive, on a plan of house lots; also, lot No. 19, on said plan; also a lot shown on said plan not numbered, but bounded southerly on Reed street, easterly on land of the Town of Woburn, northerly on land of A. S. Wood, westerly on lots 10 and 11 on said plan.

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173 Main Street.
Woburn, May 13, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that HUGH RAFFERTY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class, at No. 178 Montvale Avenue corner of Washington street, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded easterly by Washington street; southerly by Montvale Avenue; westerly by land of Owen Rafferty; northerly by land of heirs of James McAvoy.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, May 13, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that BRIDGET KELLY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a grocer of the fourth class, at McCarthy building, so-called, on the easterly side of Winn street, between estates of Fort Staples and Patrick Calnan, in said Woburn, in two rooms in basement and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded westerly by Winn street; southerly by land of said Staples and Ezra Ingalls; easterly by land formerly of one Cushman, and northerly by land of Owen Collins and Patrick Calnan.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, May 13, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that PIERCE F. MURRAY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at No. 226 Montvale Avenue in said Woburn, in two rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded southerly by Montvale Avenue, and on all other sides by land of Mary Murray.

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On account of Decoration Day being observed on May 31, the Assessors will not be in session on that day as advertised, but returns will be received until June 4, inclusive.

Per order of Assessors,
THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.
Woburn, Mass., May 13, 1886.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Benjamin Millet, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Lewis L. Whitney, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of May instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

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By virtue of a license from the Hon. Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, I shall sell at public auction, on the premises, on Tuesday, the eighteenth day of May, A. D. 1886, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land situated in Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, on the southerly side of Montvale Avenue, and bounded:—Beginning on said Avenue, at land of Rebecca P. Flagg; thence southerly, by said land and land of Mary E. Pearsons, about 180 feet, to a stake; thence easterly, by land of said Pearsons and land of Mrs. Bean, about 124 3-10 feet, to stake; thence southerly, by lands of Linnell, Kingsman, Burke, Hinds, Sawtelle, Eager and Henry K. White, about 585 8-10 feet, to a stake; thence westerly, by land of Pollard, 148 9-10 feet, by the wall to a corner of the wall; thence a little west of north, by land of Flagg, about 475 5-10 feet, to a stake at the wall at the late homestead of Charles S. White; thence easterly, by said homestead, about 109 9-10 feet to a stake; thence northerly, by said homestead, about 350 feet, to said Avenue; thence easterly, on said Avenue, 20 feet, to the point of beginning. Said premises are in the neighborhood of fine residences, and afford beautiful views of the surrounding country. Terms at sale.

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Woman's Column.

Woman in Literature.

Rev. Geo. W. Cooke, on March 11th, '86, read the first of a series of lectures on "Woman's Work in Literature" at the rooms of the Woman's Educational and Industrial Union. Following is a brief abstract:

The lecturer began by asserting that in the early ages women accomplished little in science, art and literature, for, in those days, there was but little demand for their products. The conditions of life in Greece made any remarkable mental development in women almost an impossibility. Sappho, whom Plato called the tenth muse, and of whose writings but a few fragments remain, stood alone as the one great female poet of Greece, and none others approached her. Hypatia is justly renowned for her beauty and her literary ability, although a Greek of a much later epoch. In the whole range of Latin literature there does not appear the name of a single woman of genius. While the name of Roman matron became the synonym for all that is worthy in womanhood, the artistic element seemed to be wholly lacking. The atmosphere of antiquity was not congenial to the intellectual growth of woman. When Europe first became Christianized, there was a great uplifting in the social and moral condition of womanhood, but little of intellectual and artistic growth. It remained for the rise of chivalry to bring woman into that advanced position which has enabled her to find opportunity for artistic and intellectual development.

The humanizing influences of Christianity, the spirit of idolatry toward the sex developed by the age of chivalry, combined with the Greek regard for personal development and the Teutonic love for liberty, were influences which were potent in lifting woman into her proper sphere. The speaker dwelt at length upon the splendid epoch of the renaissance in Italy in the 16th century in which brilliant literary age women played a prominent part, and no less than 50 were engaged in writing poetry. At this time the star of Victoria Colonna arose, and Mr. Cooke spoke at length upon the influence of her work. Although the period was comparatively short-lived, yet its glory remained as an inspiration to other nations, and in the 17th century the movement reached France, and produced better results than that which stirred Italy a century earlier. At this age flourished the conversational gatherings where assembled the bright minds of France, and here were set the literary fashions, and the success of any new works determined. In 1639 Moliere tried to ridicule out of sight these clubs and their affectations, and in a large measure succeeded; yet their influence was not wholly destroyed. At this age wrote Mme. Lafayette, to whom is due the credit of being the first novelist to write in modern style and to hold the mirror up to nature.

To Prevent Small Pox.

To the Editor of the Journal:

A sure preventive of Small Pox without vaccination, may be found in Dr. R. C. Flower's Nerve Pills, prepared by the Flower Medicine Co., and sold by all druggists.

This has been proven by practical experience during one of the most dreadful epidemics of this disease ever known in America. M. D.

"Maud, dear, why is a gardener like your cheeks?" "Now, John! you know I never can guess conundrums. Why is he?" "Beause he is the culler of roses, love." Tableau.

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Is he who attends to the comfort of his family and will not let his little ones suffer with affection of the Throat and Lungs, whereby their lives may be endangered, but who should at all times give them that sovereign remedy, Kemp's Balsam. Price 50 cents and $1. Trial size free. For sale by Charles H. Buss, Druggist, Woburn.

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Among spring preparations, do not neglect that which is most important of all—your own body. During the winter the blood absorbs many impurities, which, if not expelled, are liable to break out in scrofula or other disease. The best spring medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It expels every impurity from the blood, and gives strength to every function of the body. Sold by all druggists.

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It has always been understood that Consumption was incurable, but it has recently been discovered that Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs is giving more relief than any known remedy. It is guaranteed to relieve and cure Asthma, Bronchitis and Coughs. Call on Charles H. Buss, Druggist, Woburn and get a trial bottle free of cost. Large size 50 cents and $1.

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And don't let the germs of that vile disease, Catarrh, take root and flourish in your system. Sulphur Bitters will prevent this and will prevent this and will make you strong and healthy.—*Editor Weekly Press.*

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AS LOVE DIES.

If all our days were cast in Mays,
Fresh buds and new-green grasses,
We'd fear no ill, for we should still
Be blushing lads and lasses.

Or if the moon of sweet breath'd June
Were shining in December,
We'd see no wiles in maiden smiles,
And naught but joys remember.

But songs of birds and laughing words
Are drowned in life's loud bustle,
Until we hear, of all that's dear,
Only the dead leaves rustle.
—Maybury Fleming in Brooklyn Magazine.

OUR FRIEND THE GORILLA.

Not Such a Ferocious Beast After All—Characteristics of a Youngster.

Dr. Van Haren, who passed several years in the delta of the Gaboon river, confirms Professor Brehm's opinion that the gorilla uses his stout arms chiefly for two purposes: to bend down branches that would break under the weight of his body, and to dart off with wild-cat speed at the approach of a hunter. He will avoid a conflict as long as he can use his limbs for locomotive purposes, and if the whole truth were known the man-killing monster would turn out to be nothing but an overgrown orang. Van Haren secured two youngsters, who failed to survive the first year of their captivity, but conducted themselves very much like the pet of the Berlin aquarium, which at first was supposed to be an altogether exceptional specimen.

One of them was purchased from a river boatman, and proved to be in a badly crippled condition, but never betrayed its ill-humor by anything worse than a plaintive grunt. He now and then would leave his couch in quest of tidbits and ransack every trunk he could open, but would promptly defer to the first protest. A lifted finger was enough to make him limp back to his corner. He learned to hobble forth at the bidding of his master and seemed to get reconciled to his captivity, but his broken leg kept him moaning all night, and he died from general exhaustion. His successor was too young to masticate bread, and in default of milk had to be fed on half-boiled eggs. He would cling to his master's arm and move his lips with a supplicating mumble, a strangely expressive plea for protection, or perhaps for a mouthful of more congenial nourishment, for the poor little kid evidently loathed his egg diet, and at sight of a fresh installment would retreat with frog-like jumps and all sorts of ludicrous grimaces.

Strange to say, he seemed very fond of liquor, and ogled every bottle with the leer of a dyspeptic; but it was afterward ascertained that his first owner had fuddled him with gusk, or sweetened palm brandy. There was nothing sanguinary in his symptoms of youthful depravity. He would not touch meat in any form. Even hash excited his grins of disapprobation. He was evidently averse to cruelty, for at sight of a dog-fight between combatants of rather unequal size he rushed forth and shrieked out an appeal to the mercy of the victor. All the character traits of the alleged ogres tended to confirm Professor Brehm's a priori that a creature with a frugiferous organism should be swayed by the passions of a were-wolf.—Dr. Felix L. Oswald in Chicago Times.

Diplomatic Management in Persia.

Diplomacy, intrigue and influence in Persia are dependent in a large measure on the force of character displayed by the women. If a man wishes to influence another in an affair of importance, he manages it by confiding the matter to one or all of his wives, who in turn visit the wives of one who has influence over him, and by urging and presents seek to attain the object. Most of the important transactions of Persia are conducted in this manner.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Circus of Ancient Rome.

The largest circus in Paris accomodates only 7,000 people, while one in ancient Rome could hold over 150,000, where from 100 to 400 lions were let loose at a time. Augustus filled the arena once with 3,500 wild animals, and one Probus got up a free fight between 1,000 wild boars, 1,000 stags, 1,000 rams and 1,000 ostriches, and the occupants of the upper galleries—the gods—had the right to shoot arrows and javelins into the melee.—Chicago Herald.

Flour Barrels a Source of Expense.

Flour barrels are a source of great expense to the people of this country. Say there are are 50,000,000 of barrels of flour consumed in this country each year, and there are 12,000,000 of people who buy it by the barrel, there might be saved to the people of this country $2,400,000 when 20 cents per barrel is saved by purchasing flour in sacks.—Exchange.

He Regretted to Announce It.

A comical incident is related of an eminent English nobleman who was presiding at a press dinner. He concluded his feeble remarks by proposing the "health of Gutenberg." Some one pulled his coat-tails and whispered that he was dead. "I regret," continued the nobleman, "that intelligence has just been received that Gutenberg is dead.—The Argonaut."

One Thing He Didn't Like.

Little 3-year-old Harry Johnson exclaimed, as he was looking at his pretty sister, "Mamma, I doesn't like to look at Daisy's eyes."

"Why, Harry—why not?" asked his mamma.

"Well, mamma, I doesn't like the way the blinds are hung.—Harper's Bazar.

A Remedy Against Snowdrifts.

I. Horner, the mulberry tree enthusiast, has submitted to the Santa Fe managers a scheme which, if put in execution, will beyond a doubt prove a successful remedial agent against the drifting of snow upon the railroad track. The plan is to line the road with groves of the thrifty growing Russian mulberry.—Chicago Herald.

When You Are Out of Money.

When you haven't any money, never mind. That is philosophy. Hustle around and earn some. That is common sense.—Philadelphia Call.

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The bead bags of to-day are identical with those of fifty years ago, with the single exception that the shades in coloring are more artistic.

Young girls wear their hair hanging down the back in one long, thick braid. The front locks are cut short and loosely waved.

Epitaph for a cannibal: "One who loves his fellow men."

CHILDHOOD OF THE CHINESE.

A Chinese Lecturer's Dry Way of Saying Some Very Funny Things.

The first thing which strikes even the casual observer in China is what to a foreigner seems to be oddity in the people and their customs. The contrast between these and those prevailing in the western hemisphere has afforded an endless topic for newspaper wit and satire. This would not be the case if the origin and meaning of Chinese customs were understood by the gentlemen who make merry over them, for their laughter arises from wonder, and wonder, as a great writer says, is the result of ignorance. I will attempt to-night not so much to trace those customs to their sources as to show their right to exist—to show that their charter of liberty is still valid. Let us first consider the customs which surround the advent of those little angels which we call babies. Under every bed in China there is a little idol and censor, dedicated to Poo Paw, or auntie. This takes the place of the maiden aunt in China, for we have no maiden aunts there. [Laughter.] She is supposed to protect every baby. This, of course, is a part of our superstition.

A few days after the birth a christening ceremony takes place and a name is chosen for the child. Names in China are not conventional. They are taken from the dictionary because of their happy meaning. For instance, take my name, it means wealth through imperial favor. My grandfather had expectations of my becoming a great mandarin through the bounty of the emperor. Of course you see that his expectations were not realized. [Laughter.] Those names which you see on the fronts of Chinese shops are not the names of people. They are business titles or mottoes, something like your "Reliable insurance company." "Hop Sing" means "fit to prosper." A drug store bearing the sign "Chung Sing Yong" means "Long life to all." "Lung Fat" does not mean that the owner of the sign has fat lungs; it signifies "prosper and get rich." We have a custom of giving pigs' feet and ginger to a mother after the birth of a child. The pigs feet are boiled in ginger and are supposed to be very nourishing. About a month after the birth of the child we have a ceremony which we call the "full moon." It is the custom then for friends and relatives to make presents of cloth and cakes and jewelry. Sometimes the parents thereupon give a feast and send back to the givers of presents slices of roast pig, for roast pig is esteemed a great dainty in China.

The next event in the child's life is the ceremony of shaving when the embryo cue is formed. Americans have a wrong notion concerning the cue. It is merely worn in China because it is a fashion, not because it has any religious significance. I am frequently asked whether, if I went back to China, I would wear my cue? Yes, I would, but not growing upon my head. What is to prevent my wearing it like this (taking off his skull cap with the cue attached)? I would wear my cue in China because it would be very uncomfortable for me to walk through the streets there without it. I would be pelted with sticks and stones, and other substances, for the people would say: "That man is a Christian, because he has given up Chinese fashions." Chinamen got their cues in the first place from the Manchu Tartars. A civil war was reigning in China at the time, 1670, and the emperor of the Manchus was invited to ally himself with one of the chiefs. He did; and after he conquered the common enemy he conquered his ally also, and became the ruler of China. He introduced the cue by force through an edict by which he sentenced to decapitation all who would not wear cues. So we got the cue by force at first. Since then it has become popular and is now the thing to wear in China. Our costume also underwent very considerable modifications at the hands of the Tartars. Previous to their coming the dress of the Chinese was much more pretty than it is now.

It is very hard for children to learn the Chinese language because it consists of words of one syllable only. As there are 40,000 words in use and as the organs of speech are limited as to the variety of sounds they can make we have many words with a dozen different meanings each and some with even more. It is hard also to learn our written language, because there are as many characters as there are words. These characters were pictures of the objects meant by the words in the first place, but they have been greatly modified, and could not be recognized as the pictures of anything now. You hear it said that children turn their backs on the teacher when they recite. They do; there is no catechising of the children in the Chinese schools; they simply learn a thing by heart and go up and repeat it. They turn their backs so that they may not be able to see the lesson. The ferrule is frequently used in Chinese schools, though it has long been banished from those of America. The teacher will prompt once or twice, but the third time his ferrule comes down. So that the education of boys and girls in China proceeds under considerable difficulty. Girls go to school till they are 11 or 12 years of age. It is not deemed necessary for them to know as much as the boys.—Brooklyn Eagle.

The Pig in Cape Breton Households.

The pig is sometimes a member of the Cape Breton household in regard to bed and board.

A minister at a wedding remained all night and was given a low cot-bed in the living room. In the night he was startled at finding some one getting into his bed, and soon felt it to be the pig nestling down against his back. He tried to drive it out, but the outraged animal would not go.

The noise of the fight brought the householder, and he explained that it was the habit of the pig to come into bed with them on cold nights, and assured the reverned gentleman that it would do no harm.—Harper's Magazine.

Monkeys' Susceptibility to Consumption.

Monkeys, like men, have a great enemy in consumption, and as they are much more susceptible to the disease it sooner proves fatal with them.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria,

The shades of gray, bronze and drab are very fashionable for summer hosiery. Gray gloves will also be much worn.

My liver was so fearfully disordered and I felt so feeble and languid that I scarcely took interest in anything. Tried all the so-called remedies without relief until I used Parker's Tonic, which effected a permanent cure.—David Bash, Little Rock, Ark.

White and cream color in wool and cotton will be universally worn.

Hobbies are hard things to manage.

LET US REASON TOGETHER.

Scrofula is, by many people, supposed to exist only as an hereditary disease. It is undoubtedly true that its taint is transmitted from parents to children until—if it is permitted to continue its course—the corrupted line dies out. But it is equally beyond question that evil conditions of life may develop the disease in a person who has not inherited it. **Scrofula** is a constitutional malady caused by vitiated blood. High and low living, excess and want, alike induce it. Whatever interrupts the regular and effective working of the organs of digestion and assimilation, and hinders the necessary processes of secretion and excretion, causes the blood to convey impurities through the circulation and checks the throwing off of the effete matter—the waste of the system—which is, in health, an unceasing process. The evil consequences of these conditions can only be averted by prompt restoration of the functions of the body and expulsion of the impurities already offending Nature. The only medicine that can be relied upon to do this promptly and thoroughly, is

Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

The primary indications of vitiation of the blood may not alarm the thoughtless, but, rightly viewed, are signals of danger. Each atom of impurity in the life-current is a seed of disease, poisoning by contact, and destroying the red corpuscles of the blood, the destruction of which, if continued to a certain easily reached point, is necessarily fatal, as the nutrition of the system depends upon them.

Nature's efforts to expel the contaminating matter are first seen in the breaking out of **Pimples, Sties, Skin Eruptions and Boils.** At the same time the deterioration of the blood is shown by **Physical and Mental Prostration, Weariness without Effort, Languor and Low Spirits.** If thorough remedial measures are promptly applied at this stage in the development of the disease, cure is by no means difficult. Nature demands aid to arouse and invigorate the torpid organs, and expel the atoms of impurity. At the same time, the impoverished blood must be enriched and vitalized. All this is best done by

Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Should the purification and nutrition of the blood be neglected, the disease will, with each succeeding day, become more serious and obstinate. **Eczema, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Itching Humors, Tumors, Purulent Sores, Carbuncles, Malignant Pustules, Scrofulous Catarrh, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Kidney, Liver, Heart and Bone Diseases, Tubercular Consumption,** and many other serious and often fatal ailments result from corruption of the blood. Whether the poison is hereditary, or has its beginning in the individual victim, the result is the same; except that in the former case, the progress of the disease may, through inherited weakness of the system, be more rapid. Like results flow from the poisons of mercury and contagious diseases. AYER'S SARSAPARILLA is the only alterative medicine sufficiently powerful to eradicate these special poisons from the blood. It has, in thousands of instances, cured **Hereditary Scrofula,** and there is no disease caused by impure blood that will not yield to

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From all Parts of the World come Many Grateful Attestations of the Healing Virtues of this

GREAT BLOOD-PURIFYING MEDICINE.

HON. FRANCIS JEWETT, ex-Mayor of *Lowell*, and ex-State Senator, says of it: "Ayer's Sarsaparilla is **the only** preparation of Sarsaparilla that seems to do me any **real lasting good.** It goes to the right spot every time. Its effects in cleansing the blood and expelling poisonous matter from the system are wonderful."

JOHN J. RYAN, *Supt. Athletic B. B. C., Philadelphia*, was cured of **Rheumatism** by Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

JOHN MCCURT, *Lowell, Mass.*, in vain sought relief through other medicinal treatment, during three years, from **Purulent Ulcers** that some doctors called Fever Sores, and others Necrosis. But three bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla effected a permanent cure.

JOHN WYLIE, *Lowell, Mass.*, was troubled with severe pains in the small of his back, bad appetite and oppressive weakness, all indications of serious **Derangement of the Kidneys and Liver.** Ayer's Sarsaparilla made him a well man again.

THE SISTERS OF CHARITY AT ST. MARY'S INFANT ASYLUM AND LYING-IN HOSPITAL, *Dorchester, Mass.*, who have used Ayer's Sarsaparilla for years in the treatment of the many unfortunate children—frequently diseased from birth—confided to their care, characterize it as "an invaluable medicine," and say: "With pleasure we acknowledge the excellence, and can testify as to the beneficial effects of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, particularly in cases of **Sore Eyes and Skin Diseases.**"

ROBERT BARRAS, *Lowell, Mass.*, a very old man, in whom the decrepitude of age was increased by debility resultant from **Impoverished Blood,** found his vital forces rejuvenated through the effect upon his blood of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

S. B. SYLVESTER, *Lowell, Mass.*, was from childhood a sufferer from **Hereditary Scrofula,** which demonstrated itself in foul Running Sores. The sores have been cured, and the disease thoroughly eradicated, by Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

MR. MILTON FOX, a prominent and highly respected citizen of *Middlesex Co., Mass.*, avers: "Ayer's Sarsaparilla has cured me of **Scrofulous Humor and Dyspepsia,** after I had taken other remedies without avail. My family use it as a Spring Medicine, and derive great benefit from it."

Hereditary Scrofula afflicted the family of MR. HIRAM PHILLIPS, of *Grafton, Vt.*, for three generations. At the age of 73 years, from a weak and tottering old man, covered with scrofulous eruptions and sores, he has become sound, hale, and hearty, through the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. His daughter, MRS. N. B. DAVIS, suffering from the same cause, in other ways, though not so severely, has been greatly benefited by Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and is confident of a perfect cure by a continuance of the medicine. Her child, whose scrofulous sore eyes resisted all other treatment, was completely cured by Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

MRS. ELIZA FLEMING, *Lowell, Mass.*, has been relieved of **Fainting Spells and Dizziness,** and her daughter of **Neuralgia and Weakness,** both by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Eczema, severe and obstinate, appeared on the head, thighs, and other parts of the body of MR. THOMAS N. GOOD, *West Somerville, Mass.*, and so prostrated him that he seemed to be in danger of permanent invalidism. Ayer's Sarsaparilla cleansed his blood, cured the eczema, and renewed his vitality.

From a condition of **Physical Prostration,** or seeming Anæmia, the daughter of MR. NATHAN S. CLEAVELAND, 27 *East Canton Street, Boston, Mass.*, was re-established in the possession of perfect health by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

MRS. M. PARKS, *Lowell, Mass.*, to whom, as to very many women, change of life brought grievous impairment of physical and nervous strength, has found her only relief in the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

General Debility, a seeming collapse of all the physical and nervous forces, was the unhappy plight from which the Rev. W. F. PENNINGTON, of *Centre South Hampton, N. B.*, was rescued by Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

WARREN LELAND, ESQ., of *New York*, the most famous hotel proprietor in the world, bears witness: "There is no medicine in the world equal to Ayer's Sarsaparilla for the cure of **Liver Disorders, Gout, the Effects of High Living, Salt Rheum, Sores, Eruptions,** and all the various forms of **Blood Diseases.**"

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A Theory Concerning Fruit Bearing.

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IN MEMORIAM.

NETTIE A. KING.

Dear Nettie, thou hast left us
In sorrow and in woe;
On earth again we'll never
Thy loving presence know.

Thy parents now will mourn thee,
And sadly bow the head;
Their home will e'er be lonely,
Their darling girl is dead.

She, the angel of the household,
Blessed with gentleness and love,
Like the spotless snow has vanished,
But her spirit dwells above.

'Twas hard for you to leave us,
Dear Nettie, in the Spring,
While summer flowers are budding,
And birds so sweetly sing.

Above, the sun shone brightly
But every heart was sad,
When farewell look was taken
And funeral prayers were said.

And as we bended over
Thy cold and narrow grave,
We learned the noble lesson
That thy life unto us gave.

Green as the turf we knelt on,
O N-ttie! e'er shall be
Thy memory in our bosoms
Till thee again we see.

And when life's weary battle
In valor have we fought,
May we all meet in Heaven,
Where parting cometh not.

—*P. J. Cody.*

HIS NEW COAT.

"Is it really true, Max, that you are going to have a dinner party at the Grange? Of learned gentlemen? And papa is to be invited?"

Fanny Leslie flung her little crochet cap into the air, and caught it again with the dexterity of a slight-of-hand performer.

Max Lynfield, who was sitting on the low stone stile that separated the well-kept grounds of the Grange from the weedy wilderness of the Leslie estate, with a gun balanced on his shoulder, and a game-bag slung over his back, nodded emphatically.

"All the scientific lights of the convention are to be invited," said he. "Spectacles and baldheads will be at a premium. Don't you wish you were a learned old fudge—eh, Fan? Of course your governor is to be invited. Don't he know the most about Egyptology, and ancient Roman letterings, of any old gentleman in the land? Isn't Professor Tolmaine especially anxious to anxious to make his acquaintance? And isn't Doctor Lebrum going to bring in his waistcoat pocket, a slab of stone chipped off from the nose of some Assyrian statue or other for him to identify? What are you looking so sober about? Jealous because you can't make out the company, eh? I'm sorry for you, Fanny; but you had no business to be a woman."

"It isn't that," said Fanny, with ludicrous solemnity. "What day is the dinner to be, Max?"

"The seventeenth. Just two weeks from to-day. But I say, Fan, what are you in such a hurry for?"

"It's almost sundown," said Miss Leslie, gathering her scarf about her shoulders in a hurried way. "And I have wasted ever so much time here already. Good-by, Max!"

"Yes; but I say, Fanny—"

The only response to his appeal was the light, quick sound of the girl's footsteps, as she flitted away over the carpet of autumn leaves that covered the path, into the yellow mist of the October afternoon.

"What a pretty girl that is!" Max Lynfield murmured to himself. "Her eyes are exactly the color of a hazelnut and she has got the sweetest little sugar plum of a mouth that I ever beheld! But I don't see why she need be in such a hurry."

And he disconsolately picked up the game-bag which he had unbuckled from his shoulder, and strode away, whistling.

Meanwhile, Fanny Leslie had sped to the dreary, old-fashioned stone house, blotched with mildew and full of a spectral silence, where old Mr. Leslie sat, spectacled and absorbed, among his books, and Alma, the eldest daughter, was in the kitchen making a damson pudding for dinner.

She looked up as Fanny came flying in.

"I thought you never were coming, Fan," said she. "Did you bring the powdered sugar?"

"Here it is." Fanny flung a little paper on the table. "But oh, Alma! the dinner-party at the Grange is to be on the seventeenth, and papa is to be one of the invited guests!"

Alma Leslie paused in her task of sprinkling snowy sugar over the crushed purple damsons in the plate.

"Oh, Fanny!" said she. "But of course he can't go. He has no coat fit to be seen at a dinner-party in Colonel Lynfield's house."

"Alma, he must go!"

"How can he, Fanny?"

"It will be such a treat for him, Alma, so meet those scientific gentlemen, and get a glimpse of the world he has so long left behind him," pleaded Fanny. "We must manage it somehow!"

Alma knitted her black brows together.

"How much money is there in the drawer, Fan?" she asked abruptly.

"I don't quite know—fifteen dollars, I think."

"All this proves the impossibility of our fine dinner-party, Fan," said Alma, shrugging her shoulders. "Fifteen dollars would just about purchase the cloth for a new coat."

Fanny looked gravely at her sister.

"Well" said she, that is all I want, give me the cloth, and I'll make the coat."

"What nonsense, Fanny!"

"It isn't nonsense at all."

"You make a broadcloth coat!"

"Why shouldn't I? Didn't I make a cloth ulster for myself, and make it nice, too?"

"But you are not a tailor!"

"I'll be a tailoress, which, is just as good."

"You have no pattern, Fan."

"I can rip papa's old coat apart and get the pattern from that, Alma. Where is it? Is he wearing it now?"

"He has got on that old dressing-gown of his," said Alma.

"Then get the coat—that's a dear—and rip it carefully apart," said Fanny, "while I go down to the store and buy the broadcloth. We haven't a second of time to lose."

The next two days were days of cutting, stitching, pressing, calculating, in the big, sunny south room which the Leslie girls called their boudoir.

Old Mr. Leslie sat among his dusty tomes and ponderous dictionaries, with a pencil back of each ear and a pen in his hand, making notes and scribbling off paragraphs, all unconscious of what was going on around him.

"If I'm to be at that dinner-party of savants," he said to Alma, "I must settle this question as to the authenticity of the Eudeic monograph."

"Certainly, papa," said Alma in an abstracted way, as she hemmed a new black silk cravat, and pondered as to the practicability of new gloves, and whether her father could be induced to wear them if they were bought.

"Papa," said Fanny, the evening before the eventful day, "we want you to try on coat to-night."

"To try on my coat!" vaguely repeated the philosopher. "What coat? what for?"

"Oh, just to see if it's all right?" said Fanny, not without a little qualm of terror lest her father should discover the pious fraud and object to wear home-made garments.

Absently, Mr. Leslie rose up, divested himself of his faded dressing gown, and put on the new coat.

Alma and Fanny viewed him with critical eyes, and exchanged glances of satisfaction at each other.

"Does it feel quite comfortable, papa?" said Alma.

"Very nice, my dear—very nice," said the philosopher. "Really I didn't know that old coat looked so nice. Take it away, daughter, and brush it thoroughly, and have it ready for me to-morrow, with a fresh necktie and a clean pocket-handkerchief."

And once more he plunged into the depths of the Eudeic monograph question.

"Fanny," said Alma, in a low voice, "it's a success!"

"Alma," responded Fanny, in the same tone, "I *knew* that it would be!"

Mr. Leslie went to the dinner-party at Lynfield Grange, and astonished several dozen other old gentlemen by the depth of his wisdom and the profundity of his learning, and nobody discovered that the homemade coat was not the *chief d'œuvre* of a New York clothier.

But Fannie Leslie was not destined to hear the last of that coat. Miss Helena St. Jacquin, who had chanced to surprise them in the task, whispered it mysteriously to her dearest friend Mrs. Emerson Fielding. And every one knew, presently, that the Leslie girls had turned tailoresses and taken in work by the day.

"It was Fanny," said Miss St. Jacquin. "I saw her myself, pressing out the seams of a coat with a prodigious smoothing-iron—a man's coat! They tried to shuffle it out of sight as soon as possible, but they weren't quick enough for *me*!"

"Well," said Max Lynfield carelessly, "why shouldn't they sew men's coats as well as woman's worsted work?"

Mrs. Emerson Fielding elevated her pretty little nose.

"I'm afraid," said she, "we shall have to leave the Leslie girls off our list for the charade-parties next winter."

Max Lynfield rose up in exceeding great wrath.

"Then you may leave *me* off, too!" said he, and stalked out of the room.

He went straight to the old stone-house. Fanny was in the garden, gathering chrysantheums—great white-fringed beauties, and buds that were like balls of gold, and little brick-red blossoms full of a strange aromatic fragrance like Eastern spices.

"Fan," said he, "if you had wanted money, you ought have come to *me*. Haven't we been friends long enough to induce you to put any confidence in me?"

Fanny looked at him in serene surprise.

"But, Max," said she, "we don't want money—no more than *usual*, that is to say. Everybody wants money, I suppose."

And she clipped off a stem of rich maroon flowers, and laid it lovingly among the rest of her floral trophies.

Honest Max, who had no idea of diplomacy, plunged headlong into the subject.

"Then," said he, "what's all this story about your taking in tailor-work?"

"About my taking in tailor-work?"

"Yes. Miss St. Jacquin saw you working at it."

"Did she?" Fanny's cheeks flamed scarlet. "Miss St. Jacquin had better have been attending to her own business. But since she has told you half a story, I may as well supply the other half. I am sure it is no secret."

And she told Max Lynfield the whole of the simple tale.

"Fan, you're a trump!" said he. "And you really made that coat *yourself*?"

"I really made that coat myself—with a little help from Alma!" proudly spoke Fanny.

"*I* should like a daughter like you—that is to say, when I develop into an old gentleman of scientific tastes," said Max.

"Oh, you'll never develop into a scientist," said Fanny. "You are a deal too active and wideawake. You're not half wise enough."

At this Max's honest countenance fell.

"I knew it," said he sorrowfully. "You despise me. You think I am a dunce."

Fanny dropped all her flowers, in her consternation.

"Oh, Max," she cried, "I don't despise you at all. I like you!"

"That isn't the question," said Max, moodily. "The question is, do you *love* me?"

"Max!"

"Fanny! No—stay here!" posting himself, with lightning rapidity, in the doorway. "Unless you jump down the terrace, you can't get away from me. And I'm determined to have an answer."

He had the answer. And the answer was "Yes."

It is very seldom, you see, that a thoroughly determined young man allows himself to be baffled.

Mrs. Fielding, the pretty widow, was deeply annoyed; Miss St. Jacquin raved.

"But, you see," Mr. Lynfield afterward said, "I never should have known how much I cared for Fan, if I hadn't heard those spiteful cats criticising her."

And Mr. Leslie wore the selfsame coat to his daughter's wedding.

But, to the end of his learned and scientific life, he never knew who made it.

Savants are not wise in the ordinary events of everyday life.—*Hellen Forrest Graves.*

A Peculiar Dish of Greens.

The following incident occurred at a very early date in the history of Maine. Among the new settlers of Pemaquid was one by the name of Alexander, who according to custom, was chosen as captain to command the little company of men which banded together for self-protection in those dangerous times. Now Mrs. Alexander, being much puffed up by the honor, must needs make a feast to celebrate it. All her neighbors were invited, some of the women bringing knitting, others coarse garments for sewing, and still others their "little wheels" on their backs, with a distaff of flax to spin, and all bringing babies.

One can imagine what a merry company it was that gathered in the great log kitchen, knitting-needles clicking, babies crooning, and the flax-wheels humming like a great swarm of bees in a clover field, while outside the newly-made captain treated the men.

Over the fire and hanging from the huge iron crane was a big brass kettle, boiling furiously and emitting a most fragrant odor. There was a whispering among the guests as to what their hostess could be preparing, but all agreed that if it tasted half as good as it smelled, it would be good enough.

Dinner-time came, the knitting was put aside, the babies were hushed to sleep, and the wheels pushed back against the walls. All gathered about the rough table expectantly, and Mrs. Alexander, with a look of triumph, passed to each a goodly portion of the contents of the brass kettle, well seasoned and garnished with butter.

As it happened, one of the guests was a rough old trader from Boston, and his natural gruffness of disposition had not been softened by his generous potations outside. He looked at his dish curiously for a moment, tasted it, made a wry face, then shouted out, to the consternation of the company,—

"Woman, how much o' this stuff did ye cook and butter?"

"Why, a pound," said the captain's wife, somewhat incensed. "Pray, isn't that enough?"

"Enough?" cried the trader. "Yes, to kill the whole settlement, stewed in your pizen kettle! This is *tea* madam, *for drinking*, not to be made into vile greens!"

An explanation followed, and Mrs. Alexander, to whom the article of tea was hitherto unknown, as also to her equally ignorant neighbors, retired crest-fallen, yet we presume a much wiser woman.—*Youth's Companion.*

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[From the Cambridge Press.]

The New Pastor of Cottage Street Church.

Rev. Nathaniel Benjamin Fisk, who has been assigned by the New England Conference to the Cottage Street M. E. Church, to succeed Rev. J. W. Higgins, was born at Abbotsford, Province of Quebec, March 6, 1848. His parents were Sewell Cotton and Mary Ann (Gorton) Fisk, and his paternal grandfather was Captain Cotton Fisk. In 1865 he became connected with the Freedmen's Bureau, and was one of its agents in South Carolina in that year. The following year he went to the New Hampshire Conference Seminary at Tilton, N. H., formerly Sanbornton Bridge, and prosecuted his studies continuously to the end of the course. He afterwards took the theological course at Boston University and graduated with distinction in 1871. June 4, 1872, he married Miss Catherine S. Gillespie. Mr. Fisk was ordained deacon by Bishop Wiley, at Lynn, April 6, 1873, and elder by Bishop Gilbert Haven, at Springfield, April 11, 1875. He has occupied stations in the New England Conference ever since April, 1871. These have been successively in the order named: Graniteville, Upton, Marlboro, Ashburnham, Woburn, with a three years term at each place. In this period of his ministry he has raised for new churches and the liquidation of church debts $42,000, and has had several marked revivals. He preaches without notes, and accomplishes a vast amount of pastoral work. If his powers of locomotion hold out as they were twenty years ago, it will be a lively parson who can accomplish more in this direction than Mr. Fisk.

Mr. Fisk is a member of the Masonic order, and has served on the School Committee of the town of Upton, and for one year published the Church and Home, an illustrated religious newspaper. Several of his sermons have been published, but none of them by himself. In one particular he is an exception in the usual experience of the members of his class,—he never taught school. In 1878 the church at Marlboro voted Mr. Fisk a vacation, and continued his salary for such time as he might be absent. He visited Europe, travelling through Scotland, England, Belgium, Rhenish Prussia, Germany, Switzerland, France and Italy, and returned to his work fully recuperated.

The Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle of New England has in Mr. Fisk an aggressive and successful worker. He has served as secretary and treasurer of the circle, and is largely instrumental in raising funds for their Hall of Philosophy, to be erected on the plan of that at Chautauqua, on the summit of the hill at South Framingham.

The Cottage Street society is to be congratulated on having assigned to them so active a pastor, and we bespeak for it a large and commodious church before he is transferred elsewhere.

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LITERARY NOTICES.

The numbers of THE LIVING AGE for May 8th and 15th contain Lloyd's, Artist Life in Rome, Past and Present, and Society in Paris, The Cuckoo, Principal Tulloch, and Moss from a Rolling Stone, An Old School-book, and General Reader, by One of Them, Soldiering in Jamaica, Frederick The Great, Agressive Irreligion in France, and The German Peasantry, The Close of the Culturkampf, The Lesson of 1686, Paddy and his Landlord, and Fashion in Flowers, with instalments of By the Post Tonga, This Man's Wife, and A Diplomatic Victory, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4.00 monthlies or weeklies with THE LIVING AGE for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

PETERSON'S MAGAZINE for June is an unusually brilliant number, even for that popular monthly. It opens with one of the most beautiful of steel-engravings, Butterflies; has a superb double-sized colored fashion-plate; also a steel-engraving and a most exquisite colored pattern, Design in Strawberries and Leaves, for a side-board cover. The original tales, illustrated articles, etc., etc., more than sustain the high character of this lady's-book. Two stories alone are worth the price of the number: one by A. Bowman, and the other by Frank Lee Benedict. We do not see how any lady can do without this magazine. Now is a good time to subscribe, to begin with the July number, when a new volume commences: a good time, at least for those who do not wish back numbers from January. The price is but two dollars a year. For clubs, it is even cheaper. Beautiful premiums also are given for getting up clubs, and specimens sent gratis to those getting up clubs. The publisher claims it is the cheapest and best. Try it for a year. Address Charles J. Peterson, 306 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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Story of General Sherman.

General Sherman's epistolary troubles just now recalls to me a story which was told of his attempt to control the press, soon after he had taken possession of Savannah. Among those attached to his army was a well-known Boston reporter, who was called Tom Miles, although that was not his real name. Miles on entering Savannah, found a vacated printed office. There were types and presses and all the paraphernalia essential to business, with a form on the press, which the printer left in his flight, and Miles, taking out the editorial and other offensive matter, filled its columns with healthy Union sentiment, with the aid of one or two of the craft whom he had discovered in the army. His leader was a rich specimen of crowing over the victory, in which he extolled General Sherman as the greatest hero since Alexander, and his army the finest and best disciplined that the world ever saw. With this grand flourish of trumpets the first number was issued, and Miles lay back in his editorial chair, contemplating his work with the belief that he had achieved the next triumph to Sherman's, and wondering what the conqueror would say when he saw the praises he had heaped upon him. The next morning, as the general and his staff were about taking breakfast, a paper was handed to him—the Savannah Republican, I think—and he commenced to read the leader which was so lavish in his praise.

"Look here!" said he, red and furious. "What the d——l does this mean? Who knows anything about this paper?"

His orderly who had known something about its preparation, explained to him that it was the work of one of the literary gentlemen who had followed the expedition.

"Well," said the general, "go down to the office and tell him to discontinue his paper or I'll put him under guard. I won't have such cursed stuff printed about me when I can prevent it. Abuse is bad enough but this is a deuced sight worse."

Down went the orderly, and the confusion of poor Miles was overwhelming when he got the squelcher from the general commanding.

"Why, it was all praise," said he.

"No matter for that. If it had been the other way it would have been treated just the same."

So Miles moved a compromise—I hardly know what—and urged the official to express his regrets and beg the removal of the injunction, and soon the officer came back to inform him that permission was granted him to run his paper, on condition that he should never mention the general's name again. This was agreed to, and the paper appeared. After a day or two an aide came down one morning with an order from Gen. Sherman for publication. Miles glanced over it and handed it back,

"It can't go in sir," said he.

"Why not?" asked the astonished messenger, who was a stranger.

"Because it has Sherman's name to it," was the reply.

"That's the reason why it must go in," urged the aide.

"And that's the reason why it shan't. He stopped my paper for praising him, and I promised him that his name should never appear in my columns again, and hang me if it shall."

Miles stood resolute, and the officer returned for orders, expecting the ordering out of a file of men and an arrest, but was astonished to see the general burst into the heartiest laugh and hear him confess that the printer had the best of it. The messenger was sent back with a conciliatory note and there was no more trouble.—*Boston Budget.*

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Our Dumb Friends.

A man after Mr. Bergh's own heart was the president of the Philadelphia horse railroad, who gave as a reason for suspending night trips that the taking of teams in and out disturbed the dreams of the other steeds. He said that "hardworking horses needed undisturbed slumber as much as other folks."

A mass meeting in the interest of the birds was held in Wellesley College chapel last week, at the call of the Microscopical and Scientic Society, whose president presided. Professor William Niles of Boston interested all in a presentation of the subject from a scientific standpoint. Appalling statements of facts were read from the recent Science supplement and Lend a Hand. The "Birds of Killingworth" was rendered, with its graphic picture of the dire consequences which follow a "St. Bartholemew of birds." Miss Freeman, president of the college, brought all to a practical conclusion by a confession and a promise in behalf of all the college. Some dead birds which went into the meeting on hats went out done up out of sight in handkerchiefs, so complete was the conversion of the wearers on having their attention called to the subject. Hereafter, it the feathers of wild birds on the hats of the Wellesley women are the mark of the ornithologist's eye on car or street, it may be concluded that they were purchased before this meeting in behalf of the birds.

Scott's Emulsion of Pure

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

☞ There was a break last Monday among the striking builders of Boston which resulted in a change of programme. The strike was chiefly for eight hours for a days work and to secure that the journeymen carpenters, masons, bricklayers, etc., held out for two or three weeks with good courage and strong hope of success. The Master Builders' Association however were equally subborn and no compromise was possible. On Monday night, after carefully canvassing the situation and looking at the matter from all points of view, the Knights concluded to change their demand to nine hours instead of eight, finding a plausible reason for doing so in the conduct of one of the firm members of the Master Builders Association but probably a stronger one in the straightened circumstances of the workmen and their desire to return to work and earn something for themselves and families. If The Master Builders' Association hold out and stand up to the manifesto of their Secretary it is fair to presume the labor troubles in Boston will soon be settled on the old basis.

☞ Last Monday the Dominion authorities seized another American fishing schooner for alleged violation of treaty stipulations. She was the Ella M. Dougty of Portland, Capt. Warren A. Doughty commander, and was seized at St. Ann's, 18 miles from Halifax, N. S., for putting in to buy bait. She had a permit from the Collector at Portland to call for such a purpose at any of the Dominion ports, which was not the case with the Gloucester schooner David J. Adams, seized a week ago, but according to the interpretation put on the treaty by the New Brunswick authorities that was no protection and the sooner was taken and detained. Secretary Bayard, Senator Frye and other American statesmen, as well as the owners of the seized fishing craft, think our Bluenose brethren are getting themselves into a pickle from which they will be only too glad to escape and that at a double-quick step.

☞ If the Republicans of this Senatorial District allow superior merit to have its full weight in selecting a candidate next August Senator Harlow will receive a unanimous re-nomination by the convention. He has done good work for his constituents and the State at large during his two terms of service in the Senate, while his ability, habits of industry, good sense, and watchfulness over the interests of the people have given him a high rating with fellow members. Whether Senator Harlow is satisfied or not with his brief public career we are not able to say, but we no doubt express the sentiments of a large share of the Republicans of the Sixth Middlesex Senatorial District when we say he richly deserves a third term.

☞ George W. Norris, Esq., of this town, who has for several years practiced law successfully in Boston, a gentleman also who has several times been honored by his Woburn fellow-citizens with the charge and execution of important public trusts, has been appointed Government Agent for the Nez Perces tribe or band of Indians in Idaho and will soon take his departure for that country. It is an important position and those who know Mr. Norris feel assured that its duties will be properly discharged.

☞ A leading Boston journal in a recent summing up of the situation in the several Congressional Districts in the State says Robert Treat Paine will again be Mr. Hayden's opponent in the Fifth, and that the fight is likely to be a lively one. It further says Mr. Paine has a great deal of money and that he will put it out even more lavishly than in the campaign two years ago. Money is an important element in Congressional elections in this District, but the candidate who has the most of it does not always win the race.

☞ The Canadians seem to be doing a land-office business seizing American fishing vessels. It is reported that the valliant Capt Scott of the British man-of-war Landsdowne has taken a third schooner for buying bait of the bluenoses, and has his eye on still others. It looks as though there might possibly be serious work ahead for the New Brunswick naval authorities.

☞ The talk among members now is that the Legislature will adjourn for good and all about June 25 next. That will make just about a fair six months session—as short as could reasonably be expected considering the amount and importance of labor performed.

There are three kisses in a world of miscellaneous kisses which may be counted true—the kiss the mother lightly lays upon her baby's dewy lips, the kiss the mother gives her boy as he goes forth into the world, and the kiss we press upon the still, pale lips of the dead. All the rest are like the strawberries in the bottom of the basket—to be taken with suspicion.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

W. E. Carter—Rink.
T. C. Evans—Stetson.
B. E. Bond—Citation.
G. A. Bean—For Sale.
J. W. Johnson—Morrig. Sale.
J. W. Johnson—Morrig. Sale.
Horace Dodd—Rooms To Let.
J. G. Maguire—Collector's Sale.
J. G. Maguire—App. for License.
Paine's Furniture Co.—Furniture.
Emerson & Goddard—Dissolution.

— C. M. Strout attends to plumbing in all its branches.

— Read what Dr. Dodge has to say to the public in his card.

— Attention is called to the card of Mrs. Jennings in this paper.

— Another big lot of yellow crockeryware has just been put into Curtis's Bazaar.

— Academy Hill is about to lose Mr. Geo. W. Norris and will regret his removal.

— Summer weather continues to prevail to the great delight of summery sort of people.

— There was some frost on last Monday night although not enough to do any damage.

— Esquire Charles Adams has moved his law office into the Kelley Block, 211 Main street, up stairs.

— Comrade Kendall was buried last Tuesday afternoon by Post 33, of which he was an honored member.

— Nobody should miss the rich, rare and racy entertainment at Carter's Academy to-morrow evening.

— The display window of the Boston Clothing House is one of the best arranged and most attractive in town.

— Clerk of the Courts, E. F. Johnson, Esq., went to New Hampshire and Vermont on business a few days ago.

— Mr. G. F. Jones has just received from Canada a car load of fine driving horse which can be seen at his stable.

— The fine large elm near the Common is doomed to the woodman's axe. —*Advertiser*. Don't you be too sure of it.

— E. E. Ramsdell's contribution to "Our Dumb Friends" will appear in the next issue of the JOURNAL. Thanks.

— We don't hear anything about the come-out of the vote on the Littlefield property restriction. What has become of the subject!

— The "Woburn Bargain Store" is booming right along these days. Housekeeping outfits are furnished at very low prices there.

— Good progress is made daily on widening Montvale Avenue between the hills. It will be a valuable improvement when completed.

— The firm of Emerson & Goddard, insurance agents in College Block, is dissolved by mutual consent on account of the protracted illness of Mr. Emerson.

— On Wednesday Pollard & Parker closed a contract with the Beverly authorities to build a hook and ladder truck for the fire department of that town.

— There will be preaching at All Saints Chapel, Montvale, at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon by Rev. Mr. Wright, pastor of the M. E. Church at Woburn.

— "Rattan chairs." The gems from all the leading manufacturers in this country can be found at Paine's extensive furniture establishment, 48 Canal Street Boston.

— We are expecting every day to get word that the R. R. Co. have commenced building the depot at Central Square. The people are getting impatient up there.

— Mr. Henry Wendall, a veteran, died last week. Thus one by one the old soldiers who fought to save the Union in the great war of the Rebellion are dropping off.

— Collector Maguire has an important notice in this paper to which attention is called. He is going for the taxes, and those who owe had better stand from under.

— There is to be no Sunday shaving in Boston after June 6. If Boston would pattern after Woburn in other things it would be a good deal better for her morals and reputation.

— A company of gentlemen from Cambridge are erecting a large building near the Chemical Works for the manufacture of varnish, and expect to carry on an extensive business in that line.

— More applications for liquor licenses are advertised in this paper. The thought occurs to us that in time enough of them may be granted to serve the town in the very best shape.

— Some folks think the present has been the coldest May for a great many years. Don't know how that may be ourselves, but there has been east wind enough to last for several years to come.

— "When the cats are away the mice will play" was illustrated a week ago last Sunday in this town by the liquor dealers. Last Sunday it was different —Chief Nelson was around as usual.

— Mason Ward, whose hair-dressing and shaving rooms are in Lyceum Hall building, has recently put in some nice new furniture, and fixed his rooms up in excellent shape. He is doing a good business.

— Farmers tell us that the prospect for a large hay crop this summer is excellent. So far it has been just the right kind of a May for grass. Well, a good yield of hay is something to be grateful for.

— Mr. Wilmot, Secretary of the Woburn Y. M. C. A., has returned from Vermont and is now in town. We are not advised whether or not he is to continue his connection with the Association.

— Strawberries are plenty, of good quality, and moderate in price. Strawberry short-cake is now in order and its praise is in the mouth of everybody. Not the restaurant kind, but the home-made article.

— According to Mr. Seeley's account of things there are numerous people in this town who are liable to have the pains and penalties of the law inflicted on them for neglecting or refusing to get their dogs licensed.

— There ought to be one train at least between 4.53 and 6.39, and 6.39 and 9.27, in the evening on our road, to make things average up about right. The afternoon and evening waits between these trains are too long.

— Some of our people are just simple enough to think that the real purchasers of the No. Woburn Street Railway property were the Boston & Lowell R. R. Company. Common sense ought to teach anybody better than that.

— The factory of Mr. Julius F. Ramsdell, which has been idle for some weeks, has started up again. A large number of workmen are employed in the factory, and we are glad to learn that they have got employment.

— The ceremonies of Memorial Day will take place one week from next Monday. On the Sunday evening previous both Posts will attend divine services at the Baptist Church by invitation of Rev. Mr. Winn, the pastor.

— We have spent some time in trying to find out the status of the proposed Montvale creamery. In the course of a week or two we shall have something definite about it to submit to the perusal of our readers, we hope.

— Last Saturday the W. H. S. defeated a picked team from the shops by the following score:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
W. H. S.,	1	2	1	3	2	2	2	1	0	—14
P. T.,	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	—3

— What ought to be done is to remove the hydrant back to its old place close to to the fence of the Common, remove Esq. Hill's lawn-protectors, let the old elm remain, and it seems to us as though then everything would be lovely.

— Selectmen Ferguson and Johnson have brought their part of the outside work of the Board of Assessors to a close. Their field of operations was the east side of Main street all of which they have gone over and closed the accounts.

— As busy a place as there is in Woburn is J. T. Freeman & Co's machine shop. It has turned out a great deal of work in the last year. Several more establishments of the same kind and capacity would be a good thing for the town.

— It is fair to presume that large number of Woburn ladies will attend the 18th annual meeting of the New England Women Suffrage Association to be held in Tremont Temple, Boston, next Monday, for we have a great many of that kind here.

— We publish this week on the outside of the JOURNAL an interesting biographical sketch of Rev. N. B. Fisk, late pastor of the Methodist church here. It was taken from the Cambridge *Press*, in which city Mr. Fisk is now located.

— Two large double-houses are being built on Union street; one on High street, and several more in the immediate vicinity of the middle of the town. Go in any direction you please from the Common and your eyes will rest on houses going up.

— A remonstrance against cutting down the splendid elm mentioned in another item—the pride and joy of the town and marketmen—is in circulation and has been numerously signed. That tree is a beautiful one, and it would be a cruel thing to remove it.

— Mr. Connolly, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Centre Assembly of K. of L., says there is talk of organizing an Assembly at North Woburn. A large number of men are desirous that one should be established in that part of the town.

— The committee appointed for the purpose have got the new set of Town By-laws nearly ready for publication. As Editor Allen has had a good deal to do with the job we expect the Rules will have more law in them than a horse can haul, but in quality nothing to brag on.

— The schools are preparing for the annual examinations, graduations, promotions now close at hand. From what we hear it is safe to say they will all give a good account of themselves. It is doubtful if a better corps of teachers can be found in the State than Woburn has.

— "The Baby Pathfinder," published by the New England Publishing Co., for the month of May is out. It is a pocket edition of The Pathfinder, a complete and perfect directory, published monthly, of all New England Railroads. "The Baby" is a neat and handy one.

— The population of Cummingsville has dropped off only 15 from last year when there were no troubles; Montvale has increased about 50; No. Woburn (estimated) 150; and the centre enough to make the aggregate sufficient to entitle us to a city charter next winter. What do you think of that!

— An effort is being put forth to secure the establishment of more shoe factories here. What we need more than anything else is a greater diversity of manufacturing business. As a leather manufacturing centre Woburn leads and is increasing; but we want something else to go with it.

— Workmen began last Monday morning on the job of widening Main street from Church Avenue to Myrtle, and they will make short work of it. It rubs pretty close on the buildings, but such affairs must yield to the tread of public improvement or be crushed. Excelsior is Woburn's watchword just now.

— A bad state of things exists in labor circles at Stoneham. Strikes in the shoe factories have unsettled matters badly, and some of the proprietors are thinking seriously of abandoning the town to get rid of dissatisfied and unreasonable workmen. They are evidently in a bad way over to Stoneham.

— Mr. David E. Tilson of Macon, Ga., is visiting his mother and other relatives and friends here, and expects his wife and child to arrive in a short time. He went to Georgia ten years ago where he has been employed in newspaper and stenographic work. Should a favorable opening present itself it is probable Mr. Tilson will not return South to remain permanently.

— Rev. W. H. Savage, who preached at the Unitarian church last Sunday, has received a call to settle over the Unitarian church at Watertown. He has held the pastorate at Leominster for ten years. Parson Savage was once a fellow-townsman of Major H. C. Hall of this place, the famous fish-dealer of Stoneham, and the editor of the JOURNAL—Norridgewock, Maine, having once been the home of all of them.

— By reference to our advertising columns it will be observed that Mr. G. A. Bean has a fine residence on Salem street for sale, which can be bought for a good deal less than it is worth. Any one wanting a very excellent home with all modern improvements should consult Mr. Bean about this property.

— Our readers will do well to bear in mind that Abbey's double mammoth Uncle Tom Cabin's Company will appear in Lyceum Hall on tomorrow evening, May 22, with their original troupe of South Carolina Jubilee singers, bands, etc. We all know what this Company is—the best on the road—and its entertainments are first class.

— Many complaints are preferred to the Executive Committee of the Woburn Assembly of K. of L., which are trivial and never ought to be made. Little hitches must be expected in all kinds of business and employment, but patience, forbearance and some giving away will right them in due time. Workmen ought not to run to the Executive Committee for redress for every little grievance.

— The gatemen at the railroad crossings, a faithful and useful set of men, are quite elated over the removal of the new-fangled gates that have been used there since the completion of the main line, and the substitution of better ones. About three-fourths of the time since they were put up a flag or lantern has had to be used to supplement them, and it is no wonder the gatemen look upon new ones as a boon.

— Dr. Goorge S. Dodge lectured before the Y. M. C. A. on Monday evening at their rooms to a large and very intelligent audience. The leeture was for males solely and it is reported that it contained a great amount of interesting and valuable matter. Dr. Dodge is well adapted by study, taste and command of the best English for giving instruction in the form of leetures, and is in considerable demand in that line.

— Some of the new members of the Board of Trade wanted to know if it has always been the custom to close the regular monthly meetings of the Board by ringing in a fire-alarm, or whether it is a new-fangled notion introduced by Mr. Flint, the lately elected President. They were a little surprised at that mode of finishing up the evening's business, but we told them they would probably like it better after getting more used to it.

— The alarm of fire from box 62 last Tuesday evening was unnecessary. Even if there had been considerable of a conflagration under way it would very soon have yielded to the onslaught of the extinguisher which a certain gentleman seized, held upside-down and pointed wrong end to towards the supposed flames and hadn't been filled with anti-combustibles for over seven years. No sensible fire could have stood that fight against it very long.

— Mr. George E. Perry, the well-known fish dealer of Stoneham, who visits our town regularly every week with the very best fish, lobsters, oysters and clams in their season, and whom every one likes to trade with, boils his own lobsters at home, so they are always fresh and as nice and palatable as anything can be—much better than lobsters that have been boiled days before they are offered for sale in town. This ought to be remembered.

— There are four good and responsible parties who want to and have had talk about buying the Pollard tannery now occupied by Maxwell Brothers. Each one is anxious to get it for the purposes utilizing it to its full capacity in the business of leather-making. This looks well and as though people have faith in leather yet. It is rumored that E. N. Blake & Co., have sold their factory, but our reporter was unable to tree the story, and therefore cannot state positively whether there is truth in it or not.

— A couple of Boston brokers were in town last Monday looking over the No. Woburn Street Railway Company's property with a view of investing in the stock. After viewing things at the Centre they proceeded to the North Village, and also cast a business eye along the proposed route to Winchester. If these gentlemen had called at the JOURNAL office they would have got cold facts and trimmings that would have created a strong desire on their part to buy stock. It will pay dividends from the start and big ones very soon.

— Messrs. Thomas H. Hill and Charles A. McDonald, who have been hunting in couples for property to assess and population since the 1st of May instant, give it as their honest conviction that Woburn contains full 12,000 inhabitants at the present time. They have expressed that opinion to divers persons at sundry times and are firm in the belief, which is based mainly on the large number of people which they find who were not here one year ago. This number surprises both those officials every day of their travels.

— An observing and thoughtful citizen suggested the other day that the land on which the Armory and school house now stand on Common street ought to be kept by the town for a city hall, which will be needed within a very few years. The idea is a good one. It is a pleasant and conspicuous site for such a building, and handier than almost any other that could be named. Facing our handsome Common with its bronze soldiers' monument; in close proximity to the elegant Pleasant street depot; a few rods only from the Public Library; flanked with public buildings, what finer spot for a city hall could be found?

— About the neatest cottage in town is that recently built by E. E. Thompson, Esq., for Mr. Charles M. Strout on Montvale and Eastern Avenues. The exterior is odd in design, but attractive and stylish, and comes up to just about our idea of what a cottage ought to be. The surfaces are relieved by pretty porches, verandas and juts, the whole forming an architectural harmonious whole. The interior was planned with a view to convenience as well as pleasant effect. There are nine rooms handsomely finished, comprising double-parlors, dining-room, kitchen, very pleasant chambers, bathroom, wash-room, closets and cupboards, with fine cellar, etc. It is provided with hot and cold water, furnace, and other conveniences, and is altogether and admirably arranged and finished house. The location is very pleasant indeed. Mr. Strout and family will take possession next week.

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General Insurance and Real Estate Agency,

186 1-2 Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

Assets of Companies represented over Thirty Millions.

Losses promptly adjusted and paid at this office.

— In conformity with a vote passed at the last meeting of the Board of Selectmen that large and graceful elm which stands in the market-place and for many years has furnished grateful shade to weary horses and enhanced the picturesque beauties of our village and served as home and shelter to innumerable birds and is highly ornamental as well as useful—the grand old elm must come down! The veteran editor of the *Advertiser* is almost heartbroken over it. 'Tis a shame; anyhow. That tree is one of the best things we've got in town. It never injured anybody. It's shade is a solace; its branches a boon. "Woodman, spare that tree."

— As near as we can calculate there has been a material growth in the number of bicycles here this spring. A few gentlemen have always preferred this mode of locomotion to footing it, and they are often seen spinning over the streets of the town on their big and little wheel horses, but it is noticed, with considerable satisfaction, that they are quite rapidly on the increase. The manner of travelling is delightful so they say, and it is rumored that our young and agile esteemed, etc., at the other end of the street contemplates putting some of his spare change into a nice, new, nickle-plated bicycle at an early day. We should admire to be there the first time he attempts to ride it.

— To-morrow evening there are to be high times at Carter's Academy. The programme is a very attractive one, and will no doubt draw a full house. The fill of fare is to be a game of hurley between two noted teams, to be called at 9 o'clock at the close of a season of general skating. Hurley is an exciting game, with dead loads of fun and there are no teams in America that understand or can play it better. The boys will make exciting times for the spectators, who can't help but enjoy the entertainment. It should also be borne in mind that on next Wednesday evening May 26, there is to be a first class dancing assembly at the Academy for which excellent music will be furnished. For full particulars see Mr. Carter's card in this paper.

— We clip the following item from the Brunswick (Me.) *Telegraph*: Mr. C. M. Strout of Woburn, Mass., has just presented to the Public Library a book gotten up by the Board of Trade of that town, the text giving interesting facts of Woburn's early history and its progress in later years. There are several beautiful cuts in the volume, pictures of the residences of prominent and wealthy citizens. We looked over all with care (for when a lad we attended the Academy there kept by Mr. Alfred W. Pike), and could only trace out the lines of the Common and position of the Congregational church; all else is changed, and Woburn is one of the most charming of the suburban towns of Boston. Mr. Strout, formerly a resident of Brunswick, is thoughtful in making this present to the Public Library.

— Chief of Police Nelson and Landlord Cobb returned from their fishing excursion to Rangeley Lakes last Saturday evening safe and sound after an absence of little rising a week. They brought home and exhibited at Tabor's market about 80 of as handsome trout as mortal eyes ever rested on, and on Sunday this reporter demonstrated beyond peradventure that they were as eatable as handsome. Some of the "fish stories" of Messrs. Nelson and Cobb were of such an amazing character that a few sober-headed listeners expressed timed doubts as to when, where and how the trout were caught; but regarding it in the light of being unfair to "look a gift horse in the mouth" we swallowed the stories and fish without troubling ourselves with the minor question of whether our friends caught them in the cool, blue waters of Rangeley, or bought them of a boy they overtook on the road. The trout were very handsome and very nice, and Nelson and Cobb had a splendid time Down East.

— A final settlement of the estate of the late Joshua Seward was made on last Tuesday. John W. Johnson, Esq., is Administrator of the estate, and M. T. Allen, Esq., is Attorney for James W. and Joshua Seward, sons and only surviving children of the deceased. The case was taken to the Supreme Court for further administration, and on Tuesday Mr. Allen, for the sons, effected a satisfactory settlement with the Directors of the Home for Aged Men, which is a legatee with remainder to the Washingtonian Home, both institutions of Boston. Although technically possibly the sons would have been barred out of benefits from the estate, Mr. Allen, by judicious management, succeeded in securing for the sons an annuity of $500 from the Home for Aged Men, and nearly half of the proceeds which the Washingtonian Home will finally receive. The settlement is a very advantageous one for the two sons for it assures to them a maintenance and relieves others from a possibility of cost for it.

The great popular remedy of the day for coughs, colds, asthma, and all lung difficulties, is Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam. Inexpensive, reliable, pleasant to take, cures as by magic, and gives universal satisfaction. A trial is the best testimonial. Price 10 and 35 cents.

If James D. Fish is very poor, he is letting a big heart get a good deal the better of judgment. A friend who visited him in the state prison last week received as a gift from the old gentleman a $1000 pair of bronzes.

Selectmen's Meeting.

There was a meeting of the Board of Selectmen on last Tuesday evening which was quite generally attended. Mr. Lawrence Reade presided, and Clerk Hill was at his desk.——The remonstrance of the Selectmen of Stoneham, Trustees of Linword cemetary and others and B. K. Marter and others against granting license to sell rum to Pierce F. Murray; and of H. C. Boynton in behalf of the No. Woburn village Union against granting license to McGrath, were referred to Committee on Police.——Bernard McHugh was granted a license to keep billiards.——Clarence Littlefield was appointed measurer of wood and bark. ——Thomas C. Boyce, J. C. Moshier, Charles Wyer, John Walsh were appointed special police without pay. ——It was voted to hold a Town Meeting on Tuesday, June 8, 1886, at 7.30 o'clock, p. m., and that the Warrant for the same be closed on May 25.——Application of P. F. Murray for Common Victualers license and 1st class liquor license; Bridget Kelley, and Hugh Rafferty for 4th class license, referred to Committee on Police.——Applications of John Shinkwin, Dorminick Donahue, Merriam & Chadbourne, and J. J. Carroll ordered advertised.——Licenses were granted to: William McDonough, 4th; H. C. McGrory 1st; William Dempsy, 1st, Patrick Grant, 4.——The matter of Clough Will was referred to Committee on Claims.

Journalistic.

The Charles River Laborer has recently come out as a candidate for journalistic honors and emoluments, a good share of both of which, we should say, it well deserves. It is published at Waltham by C. H. Davis & Co., and is about the neatest and brightest sheet we have laid eyes on for many a day.

The State, Boston, Mass., is making staunch friends in large numbers every day, and money too, we make no doubt. The longer one reads this sterling weekly journal the better he will like it, for it is a good, solid, and clean paper, to fully appreciate which takes time. Gen. Swift edits *The State* with excellent judgment and fairness, and good writers are employed as correspondents. A series of papers entitled "Massachusetts Governors" is very interesting, and Mr. Marden's farm and garden department always contains valuable reading for the agriculturist. It is said also, that *The State* is a great success as a business venture.

The Boston *Post* has not only gone into the hands of new proprietors but has taken a new political departure. From a period whereof the memory of man runneth not to the contrary the *Post* has been a high-toned, able and influential Democratic journal, but of late years a little weak in the knees financially, the remedies to cure which have hitherto done it no permanent good. It was recently sold for a handsome price, and in last Monday morning's issue its platform for future business was announced. It is to be hereafter a newspaper "independent in everything, neutral in nothing," to carry out which idea it can boast of a plenty of money and has engaged a corps of the best editorial writers, reporters, and scissors and business men in the State. Long may it wave!

ED. JOURNAL:—The little accident and "big scare" which terminated the exhibit of the water gas was wholly attributable to my carelessness in not placing the tray of minerals in its proper place, thereby causing a greater generation of hydrogen than the small burner could take care of, consequently it filled the lamp above the water, and forced its way out under the rim of the carburetter and ignited by coming in contact with the flame above. Some have suggested that our Horn Pond water (being as we all know the best in the world) contained more gas than the machine could dispose of and was the cause of the accident; but such is not the fact. The cause was neither in the water or in the lamp, for if the minerals had been in their proper place it would have been impossible for such a thing to have happened, therefore, the whole blame must rest where it belongs—on myself.

Yours truly,
GEO. BUCHANAN.

May 20, 1886.

Is there any talent in the St. Paul Press Club? Are there nine men in that Club who know the difference between base ball and progressive euchre? If the St. Paul Press Club wishes to win distinction on the dusty diamond now is its opportunity.

New Goods!

Children's Shirt Waits.
Children's Lace and Muslin Bonnets.
Ladies' and Children's Parasols.
Ladies' Handkerchiefs, great bargain at 10 cents each.
Ladies' Walking Jackets.
Sateens, large variety, 12½ cts. per yard.
Choice line of Dress Goods at 12½, 25, 37½, 50, 62, 75 cts., $1.00 per yard.
Batiste, Prints and Combrics.
Cretonnes and Scrims for Draperies.
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Fine line of Gent's Neckwear.
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All of the above are special bargains and are offered at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.

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DRESS GOODS

In Albatross Cloths, Pinhead Checks, Serges, Tricots, Stripes. All beautiful Shades.

SILK VELVETS for trimmings.

HOSIERY, special bargains at 12½c., 25c., 37½c.

BOYS' SHIRT WAISTS, 20c., 25c., 37½c., 50c.

LADIES' UNDERWEAR. Night Dresses, 50c., 75c., $1.00.

CORSET COVERS, 25c., 37c., 50c.

LADIES' UNDERVESTS, 25c., 37½c., 50c.

MEN'S UNDERSHIRTS, 25c., 37½c.

F. S. BURGESS,

AGENT FOR

LEWANDO'S FRENCH DYE HOUSE,

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All goods for the Dye House should be brought in by Tuesday evening.

Hammond's Clothing House.

Boys' Suits! Boys' Suits!

A large assortment in all the latest spring styles. A complete assortment of SHIRT WAISTS! aged from 4 to 13.
ONE LOW PRICE TO ALL!

Hammond's Clothing House,

181 MAIN ST., Lyceum Building, WOBURN.

North Woburn.

Rev. Leander Thompson will continue his talk on "North Woburn as I remember it in 1820," Monday evening, May 24th, in the Chapel.

One day last week Mr. W. H. Conant of this village was thrown from a carriage at Ham Brothers mill at the Centre and quite seriously injured.

The slight ripple of trouble between Messrs. B. F. Kimball & Co., and their hands was quickly and satisfactorily settled by the Knights. Everything is all right here now.

Stetson's Shoe Store.

To our readers who buy their foot wear in Boston, we would recommend the Shoe Store of Mr. Stetson as a most excellent place to buy all kinds of Boots or Shoes of a perfectly reliable quality, at prices that cannot fail to be satisfactory. Any lady or gentlemen for from 2 to 3 dollars a pair can purchase from Mr. Stetson a boot or shoe that will give complete wear in every respect. His stock is large and well adapted to suit those who want a good article at a medium price. Stetson's Old Established Stand, 158 Hanover Street, right off the corner of Blackstone.

One of the most inordinate cigarette smokers in this country has recently become an enthusiastic theosophist. This is a result of the cigarette habit that is worse than its wildest detractor ever imagined.

Rheumatism

It is an established fact that Hood's Sarsaparilla has proven an invaluable remedy in many severe cases of rheumatism, effecting remarkable cures by its powerful action in correcting the acidity of the blood, which is the cause of the disease, and purifying and enriching the vital fluid.

It is certainly fair to assume that what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for others it will do for you. Therefore, if you suffer the pains and aches of rheumatism, give this potent remedy a fair trial.

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"I was troubled very much with rheumatism in my hips, ankles, and wrists. I could hardly walk, and was confined to my bed a good deal of the time. Being recommended to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, I took four bottles and am perfectly well. I cheerfully recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla as one of the best blood purifiers in the world." W. F. WOOD, Bloomington, Ill.

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I have been afflicted with rheumatism. Before 1883 I found no relief, but grew worse. I then began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it did me more good than all the other medicine I ever had." H. T. BALCOM, Shirley, Mass.

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MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL.—Services as usual at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

UNITARIAN.—Preaching at 10.30 a. m. by the pastor. Subject: "Conditions of a Truly Successful Church."

CONGREGATIONAL—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 P. M.; Service of Praise and Preaching at 7 P. M. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m.; General Prayer Meeting at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.45.

The Scandinavian Evangelical Society, Y. M. C. Rooms. Sunday, preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 m. Praise meeting at 6.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Bible Reading, Friday at 7.30 p. m. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise meeting at 4 o'clock. Boys' meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30. Scandinavian services Sunday at 10.30, Wednesday evening at 7.30. Reading Room open daily from 6.30 to 9.30 p. m., Wednesday excepted. Boys' Branch at 7.45 p. m., on Tuesdays. Sunday 9 a. m. Prayer meeting.

Danish Evang. Lutheran (St. Peters) Society, 218 Main street. Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m., praise meeting. Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock, preaching by Rev. V. A. M. Mortensen, pastor.

UNION A. M. E. Services at 11 a. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m. Regular meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7.45.

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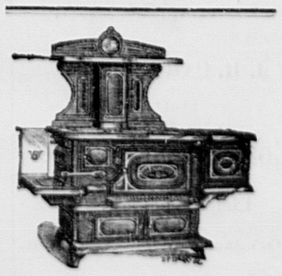
Married.

In Woburn, May 13, by Rev. J. Quealy, William Martin and Ellen McDevitt, both of Woburn.
In Woburn, May 19, by Rev. J. Quealy, Jeffrey Doucette and Matilda Doucette, both of Woburn.
In Burlington, May 18, by Rev. Charles Anderson, Mr. Henry H. Nichols and Miss Hannah F. Walker, all of Burlington.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, May 13, William G. Woodland, aged 23 years, 9 months, 21 days.
In Woburn, May 15, Jacob Kendall, aged 64 years, 2 months, 19 days.
In Woburn, May 19, Mary D. Freeman, aged 87 years, 1 month, 12 days.
In North Woburn, May 18, Clarrissa B. Poole, aged 82 years, 8 months, 27 days.
In Wilmington, May 12, James Rossiter, infant.
In Arlington, May 14, Joshua Caldwell, aged 82 years, 3 months, 29 days.
In Warner, N. H., John W. Barten, of Woburn, aged 32 years.



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WINCHESTER.

Old settlers say the present has been a very cold and disagreeable May.

The *Star* says our new station agent, Mr. Moore, is getting very popular at Winchester. Which is a feather in his cap.

Hon. F. O. Prince, Ex-Mayor of Boston, will occupy his residence here this summer. We are all glad that he is coming back.

Rum-soaked rowdies are in the habit of coming to the Centre from the Plains and carrying on in a disgraceful manner, which calls for work by the police.

Mr. Brine, Chairman of the Democratic Town Committee, contributed liberally last week to the Parnell Parliamentary fund. He is a warm friend to Ireland.

Gen. Corse made a stirring speech at the meeting of the Essex County Democratic Club at Parker's, Boston, last Saturday. Wonder how he gets on in his pull for the Boston postoffice?

The B. & L. depot at this place has been overhauled, revamped, upset and new-welded and is now one of the handsomest on the Company's line. New modern windows have been put in and the interior woodwork is neater than two new pins. It is truly an elegant depot.

Mr. J. W. Maxwell, one of our large and successful tanners, has dismissed all the whiteners in his tannery is going to or has already given other hands their time. The reason for this movement is, that Mr. Maxwell is about to introduce machines to do the work heretofore done by the men dismissed.

A special school meeting was held last Saturday evening at which Mr. Littlefield was appointed a committee to look into the question of changing the boundary lines of school districts and report. The matter of fixing the visiting days during the month was delegated to the sub-committees.

The head of the W. V. I. A. is just as level as can be. Their last scheme is to offer prizes to school children for the best laid-out patches for flowers at their homes, and the best taste displayed in the work. This cultivates a love of flowers, an acquaintance with work, and an aptitude in flower gardening.

Mr. Charles A. Conant, who has long been editorially connected with the Boston *Advertiser*, has, with several others, left that paper and gone over to the *Post*, which is hereafter to be a mugwump journal. It is said that Mr. Conant, who is a very talented writer and first class newspaper men, is to be the Washington correspondent of the *Post*.

At a meeting of the Winchester Historical and Genealogical Society held last week papers of interest and value were read by Messrs. C. F. Lunt and A. E. Whitney in which the members were interested. Some donations of books were received. It was voted to change the constitution of the Society in a way that its meetings may be held at the call of the officers instead of fixed periods.

Mr. Brine and Congressman Lovering have been whipped by Gen. Corse smartly. And Garcelon has been confirmed postmaster of Winchester. This will not ease up the "strained relations" now existing between these distinguished gentlemen, nor promote harmony in the Democratic party. It would have been better for all concerned to have retained Esquire Brown in the postoffice in conformity with the wishes of a very large majority of our people of all sects, creeds, politics and previous condition of servitude.

Last week a supplementary list of prices for tanners and curriers was presented to the proprietors by Mr. James Mooney, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Knights of Labor here, which is given below. The list was accepted by the great establishment of Loring & Avory and others in Winchester, and will be probably by all proprietors in Woburn as well. This is the list:

Whitening machines, $14 per week; Lockwood machines, $12; man sorting splits, $12; tying up leather, $11.50, $10.50; brushing machine, $11; trimming hides, $10; tacker on hides, $10; yard hands, $9; trimming butt splits, $10; belt knife tenders, $10.75; running leaches, $10; reeling hides, $10; oiling splits, $10; oiling buff, $10; man on measuring machine, $10.

BURLINGTON.

The apple trees were in full bloom last Sunday.

At the special town meeting held on Wednesday evening of last week, Charles G. Foster was chosen moderator, and the Selectmen were chosen a Committee to build a new schoolhouse in the north part of the town.

Prof. D. Dorchester Jr., of Arlington Heights, preached at the Church Sunday morning. The subject of his sermon was "Love." He showed that love was the source and strength of Christianity and should be the basis of our everyday actions. The discourse was eloquent and powerful.

Last Friday evening a concert company under the direction of Prof. W. M. Skinner, chorister of St. Stephen's Church, Providence, gave a fine entertainment in the church. All the selections on the programme, vocal and instrumental, were well chosen and skilfully executed. The artists were Prof. Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gifford and Miss May Allen Pierce, vocalists, Miss Amy Rawson, pianist. Master Carl Merrill, cornetist. One half of the proceeds was given to the fund for church repairs. A large number of tickets were sold.

Montvale.

Last Wednesday night while Mr. Dominick Donahoe, a saloon keeper, and a well known citizen of Montvale, was returning home, and on Montvale Avenue, he was terribly assaulted by a crowd of Stoneham roughs. They made a demand upon him for his money, and refusing was set upon, pounded and kicked. His cries called to his assistance officer Kerrigan, but his assailants had fled. As soon as Mr. Donahoe was able, he was taken by the officer to Stoneham where he identified several of his assailants, who will no doubt be soon in Court. Mr. Donahoe was badly handled, having been kicked in different parts of the body.

Meeting of Board of Trade.

Last Tuesday evening the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trade was held at the Board's Rooms in Bank Block. President F. A. Flint presided, and Secretary H. N. Conn was at his post. There was a larger number of members present than this reporter has seen there for several months. The main audience room was quite well filled, and the right kind of a spirit pervaded the assembly and deliberations.

The reading of the records of the last meetings consumed considerable time as they were quite full of interesting matter. The Secretary reported 20 new members and no defections to speak of. The acquisitions are more numerous, if anything, than was expected, and the word is that many others will soon make application for membership. The value of the organization is understood more fully by our business men than heretofore, apparently, and no doubt exists that its great utility will become still better appreciated as its age increases. The conviction has become settled in men's minds that the Board of Trade is an important and potent factor in the growth and prosperity of the town, and men are willingly and readily yielding their support to it.

Hon. B. F. Whittemore, Chairman of the Committee, reported resolutions on the death of Mr. Edward W. Champney, the first Secretary of the Board, which were unanimously adopted. They contained a merited and glowing tribute to the personal and official worth of the deceased, and were ordered spread on the records of the Board.

Mr. F. H. Lewis, Chairman of the Business Committee, made an informal report of what his committee had accomplished since the last meeting. Several business schemes were mentioned by him, and an assurance given the meeting that his committee are wide-awake and constantly reaching out for the introduction of manufactories here. His report was brimful of encouragement. On invitation Mr. N. J. Simonds made some pertinent and interesting remarks on business and among other things suggested that Woburn has the very best facilities for mechanical establishments and thought their introduction and location here should be sought. The classification of trades and their grouping were also discussed by him. Mr. James Skinner also spoke and submitted encouraging suggestions on the acquisition of the machine shops of the Boston & Lowell Railroad Company now located at East Cambridge. The speeches of both gentlemen were well received.

Having been previously invited to do so, Mr. George Buchanan gave a very interesting explanation of a new process for manufacturing water gas, and illustrated his lecture by manufacturing the article in the presence of the meeting for which he had provided the necessary apparatus. The process was interesting and information imparted valuable. The superiority of this method of making water gas over all others was clearly set forth. The proprietors of this novel process and patent are introducing it into general use.

A resolution of thanks was unanimously voted Mr. Buchanan.

The Entertainment and Lecture Committee, W. W. Hill, Chairman, made a report on reading matter for the rooms. Some other matter attended to and the meeting adjourned in a blaze of glory, occasioned by the ignition of some chemicals in the room.

[From the Arizona Silver Belt.]

Woburn Man Murdered.

We find the following account of the cowardly assassination of a Woburn man from the paper named dated May 8, instant:—

The supposition that John Walsh who was found dead on the Silver King trail in Pleasant valley, about one mile west of Bloody Tanks on Wednesday, committed suicide, has been dissipated by facts revealed at the Coroner's inquest. The fact that the post mortem by Dr. Cook established three vital wounds on the person of the deceased of such a character as to preclude the possibility of the victim firing a second shot. The ball which penetrated the body severed the aorta or great artery or trunk of the arterial system, proceeding from the left ventricle of the heart and is attached to and proceeds along the back bone. That being cut the pulsation of the heart instantly ceases. The other balls entered the skull from opposite directions, passing through the upper lobe of the brain breaking away over three-fourths of it and reducing it to a jelly-like mass.

Another fact showing a case of murder was the finding of a 45 Colt pistol under the head of the deceased with but two chambers empty, while the post mortem conclusively established the fact of three separate vital wounds.

It is in evidence before the Coroner's inquest that Walsh was apprehensive of being assassinated. The testimony of John Canavan and Arthur Moore is conclusive upon that point.

Mr. Canavan testified that the deceased had informed him he had trouble in Bisbee some time ago. He hit a Mexican over the head with a chair. The Mexican left and subsequently returned to the saloon armed, and shot through the window. The Mexican was apprehended and lynched. Mr. C. further testified "I offered him work the day before he left, which he declined upon the ground that he was afraid to remain in Globe as he believed that some persons were laying for him. His intention was to go to Reymert's camp, thence to the railroad and thence home."

Arthur Moore's testimony was the same in effect as Canavan's in regard to the trouble at Bisbee and Walsh's fear of assination.

The testimony of J. W. Frakes dispels the supposition that Walsh was murdered for the purpose of obtaining money. He said the deceased "came to my place and wanted to send his blankets over to the King by Middleton. He paid one dollar for taking them over; had only five dollars." We are informed that less than the latter sum was found in the pockets of the deceased. Dr. Cook, who made the post mortem, testified as to the nature of the wounds, which in effect is as stated by us. The verdict of the jury is that the result of death of John Walsh was from gun shot wounds inflicted by party or parties unknown.

Walsh's home was in Woburn, Mass. He was buried in Globe cemetary on the 7th inst.

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Capt. Doughty's Story.

HALIFAX, N. S., May 17, 1886. Capt. Doughty of the Ella M. Doughty, seized by the Canadian authorities, makes the following statements: "We left Portland for Western banks April 25, but not succeeding in getting any return after setting trawls three times, decided to make for Cape North. First struck ice off Louisburg, and took refuge in that port May 3. Then started again and was driven to North Sidney by ice. There I reported and heard for the first time that my permit to touch and trade was of no service, which I could scarcely believe. Left North Sydney and got a little north of Ingonish, and was driven by ice into Stann's bay. Again started, but put back into the bay Thursday. Finding that the bait purchased at Portland was spoiled, we purchased 20 barrels of fresh herring from fishermen, and again attempted to leave, but was driven by ice inside the beach, and dropped anchor on the northern side of the harbor under the lee of Smith's mountain on Friday. Nothing happened until Monday, when Customs Officer McAulay came off and seized the vessel in the Queen's name. I entered a protest, and telegraphed the owners at Portland, who telegraphed me that they had forwarded a telegram to Washington and to await instructions. Customs Collector Campbell, in whose district this seizure is made is the same officer who detained the Gloucester schooner Joseph two or three weeks ago."

The 30 Per Cent. Bill.

The bill limiting to 30 per cent. the amount of stock which the American Bell Telephone company can acquire and hold hereafter in any of its subcompanies passed the lower branch of the legislature yesterday and now goes to the Senate. The original bill was limited only to companies in this state, but the House amended it so as to apply to companies in other states as well. If the bill becomes a law it will apply specially to the Erie company, and any other western or southern companies, which are not already under the control of the American Bell. This will prove a great restriction on the parent company, and no stone will be left unturned to defeat the bill in the Senate. But of its inherited justice there can be no doubt. All the telephone difficulties which have arisen since the New England company was formed have come out of the anomalous condition of things growing out of the double capacity in which the Bell company has been enabled to act—as buyer and seller, lessor and lessee, agent and principal, licensor and licensee. It is a condition of things not consistent with sound business principles, and one which should never have been allowed, as it now proves. When it was done its full scope and bearing were not understood. People know more now, and it will be well to have the law restored to proper limits, so far as can now, be done.—*Lowell Courier.*

LITERARY NOTICES.

Hon. David A. Wells's third paper of the series, entitled An Economic Study of Mexico, now running through THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY, will appear in the forthcoming June number. The series will close with the fourth paper, and it promises, when completed to be the fullest as it will unquestionably be the most accurate summary of the real condition of affairs, industrial, commercial, and political, in Mexico, that has appeared since the Mexican War.

THE COTTAGE HEARTH for June fully sustains its reputation for being one of the best magazines published in the country. Its literary contents are all of a choice character being the production of the best and most popular writers of the day, and there is not a page or paragraph of it that is not interesting and profitable to read. The illustrations, as usual, are good; two piecees of new music are furnished; while the notes on fashions, domestic matters, and needle employments, are fresh, good and valuable. We refer the reader of this to the offer made for THE COTTAGE HEARTH and JOURNAL in our business columns.

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The vote for the municipal woman suffrage bill in the Massachusetts House of Representatives this year is the most favorable to suffrage since 1879, being 77 yeas to 132 nays, including pairs. In 1884, for the same bill, it was 61 yeas, and 155 nays, including pairs. In 1885, for the same bill, it was 68 yeas, and 137 nays, including pairs. This is a gain in the affirmative vote of 9 votes over 1885, and of 16 votes over 1884. It is a falling off in the negative vote of 5 votes since 1885, and of 23 votes since 1884. A further change of 28 votes from nay to yea would be a majority. This change the suffragists hope soon to accomplish by holding suffrage meetings and organizing suffrage leagues in the representative districts. There is a slow but steady gain from year to year. Woman suffrage, as a rule, is strongest in the country towns. In view of these facts, the woman suffragists naturally feel cheerful and confident.

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Japanese Letters.

Boston Globe: "A reader of the *Globe* named Talbot sent me a box of 'Hak-ka' for Hay Fever. I have had seven years of sneezing, coughing, swearing, and this August it began more virulent than ever. I used Talbot's 'Hak-ka' three times, and although the fever was at the high tide of successful demoralization, I haven't sneezed but twice since, and that was two days ago. I don't know Talbot, I never saw Talbot; but he ought to become a millionnaire in one season." HOWARD.

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Woburn, May 15, 1886.

TOWN OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, May 20, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that THOMAS G. MERRIAM and LEWIS H. CHADBOURNE, doing business under the name of American Bottling Company, has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class, a store in Park building at the junction of Prospect street and High street in said Woburn, in first floor of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded easterly by Prospect street; southerly by High street; northerly by land of one Tweed, and westerly by other land of said Park.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, May 20, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JOHN SHINKWIN has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at store in Cooper building, so-called, situated on easterly side of Winn street, in first floor of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded westerly by said Winn street; northerly by land of John McDonough; easterly by land of Alva Wood, and southerly other land of said Cooper.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

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173 Main Street.
Woburn, May 20, 1886.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JAMES J. CARROLL has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as an Innholder of the first class, at Crehan building, so-called, situated at junction of Main and Union Sts., with entrance at No 225 Main street, and also on Union street, in said Woburn, in one room on first floor and in all the rooms on second and third stories and stock in cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, May 20, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that DOMINICK DONAHOE has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class, at store in building situated at the junction of Montvale Avenue and Albany street in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded northerly by Montvale Avenue; easterly by Albany street; westerly by land of John Callahan, and southerly by land of Patrick Rafferty.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, May 20, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that HUGH DEVER has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at store in said Dever's new building situated on the westerly side of Main street between his dwelling-house known as No. 76 Main street and estate owned by Edw. W. Hudson, known as No. 74 Main street, in said Woburn, first floor of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

Collector's Office,

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TAXES 1885.

Notice is hereby given, that sales of Real Estate on which taxes of 1885 remain unpaid will positively commence JUNE 1, 1886.

Warrants for the collection of Taxes on Polls and Personal Estate for year 1885 are being prepared and placed in an officer's hands for service.

It is the intention of the undersigned to collect the Taxes of 1885 before the Taxes for 1886 are committed to him by the Assessors. INCREASED COSTS will follow in all cases where warrants issue or sales are commenced.

JOHN G. MAGUIRE,
Collector of Taxes 1885.

Woburn, May 17, 1886.

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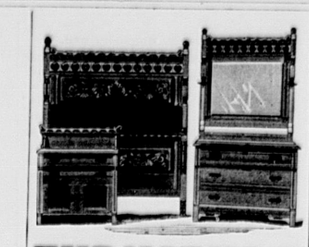
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CARPETS.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed, given by John Lehey of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Lemuel G. Richardson, dated June 24, A. D. 1872, and recorded with Middlesex (So. Dist.) Deeds, Book 1218, Page 495, and duly assigned to James Buel, by assignment dated January 1, A. D. 1884, and recorded with Middlesex (So. Dist.) Deeds, Book 1655, Page 225, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, at the office of John W. Johnson, Attorney at Law, No. 194 Main street, in said Woburn, on Saturday, the twelfth day of June, 1886, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows, to wit:—A certain lot of land, situated in Winchester, in said County, being lot number forty-eight on a plan of house lots in Woburn and Winchester, belonging to Lemuel G. Richardson and William H. Richardson, containing about seven thousand, three hundred and seventy square feet, and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the premises, on Cross street, at the fence, at land of Lemuel Holton, the line runs westerly, on and by said Cross street, about one hundred six and eight tenths feet, to a stake at lot number forty-nine, on said plan, owned by Lemuel G. Richardson and William H. Richardson; thence nearly northerly, by land last named, about one hundred nine and six-tenths feet, to a stake; thence nearly easterly, by lot number forty-seven, owned by said persons, about one hundred feet, to a stake, at the fence; thence nearly southerly, by the fence, by land of said Holton, about one hundred thirty-seven and eight tenths feet, to the point of beginning.

$100 in cash will be required of the purchaser at the time and place of sale: other terms at sale.

JAMES BUEL, Assignee
and present holder of said Mortgage.

J. W. JOHNSON, Attorney.
Woburn, May 14, 1886.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed, given by Samuel Butters of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Leonard Thompson (senior), dated June 20, A. D. 1878, and recorded with Middlesex (So. Dist.) Deeds, Book 1479, Page 558, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Saturday, the twelfth day of June, 1886, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, and therein described as follows, namely:—A certain lot of land containing one-fourth acre, more or less, with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situate about one-third of a mile from the Common in said Woburn, in a southeast direction therefrom, and is bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly, by Prospect street, about sixty feet; northerly, on land of Felix Riley, one hundred and twenty feet; westerly by a ditch, on one Housten's land, sixty feet, and southerly, on land of J. E. Littlefield, one hundred and twenty feet. Terms at sale.

LEONARD THOMPSON, Assignee
and present holder of said Mortgage.

J. W. JOHNSON, Attorney.
Woburn, May 14, 1886.

ADJOURNED

Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a license from the Hon. Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, I shall sell at public auction, on the premises, on Tuesday, the twenty-fifth day of May, A. D. 1886, at four o'clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land situated in Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, on the southerly side of Montvale Avenue, and bounded:—Beginning on said Avenue, at land of Rebecca P. Flagg; thence southerly, by said land and land of Mary E. Peterson, about 180 feet, to a stake; thence easterly, by land of said Peterson, land of Mrs. Bean, about 124 3-10 feet, to stake; thence southerly, by lands of Linnell, Kingsman, Burke Hinds, Sawtelle, Eager and Henry K. White, about 585 8-10 feet, to a stake; thence westerly, by land of Pollard, 148 9-10 feet, by the wall to a corner of the wall; thence a little west of north, by land of Flagg, about 475 5-10 feet, to a stake at the wall at the late homestead of Charles S. White; thence easterly, by said homestead, about 109 9-10 feet to a stake; thence northerly, by said homestead, about 350 feet, to said Avenue; thence easterly, on said Avenue, 20 feet, to the point of beginning. Said premises are in the neighborhood of fine residences, and afford beautiful views of the surrounding country. Terms at sale.

LEWIS L. WHITNEY, Executor
of the Will of Charles S. White.

WM. WINN & Co., Auctioneers.
Woburn, May 18, 1886.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Julia A. Sawyer late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to George E. Fowle of Woburn;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

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Apply to G. A. BEAN,
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Woburn, May 18, 1886.

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Benjamin Millet, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, GREETING:

WHEREAS, certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Lewis L. Whitney, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of May instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

20-3 S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Town of Woburn.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

On account of Decoration Day being observed on May 31, the Assessors will not be in session on that day as advertised, but returns will be received until June 4, inclusive.

Per order of Assessors,
THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

Woburn, Mass., May 13, 1886.

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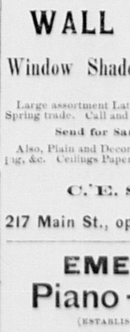
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Beware of imitations! See that the name of F. W. KINSMAN is blown in the glass of the bottle. F. W. KINSMAN & CO., Druggists, Proprietors,
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PURE MILK.

I am engaged in sale and delivery of **PURE MILK** to the people of Woburn from my farm on Cambridge street, and respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.

Orders left at Buckman & White's Grocery Store, 209 Main Street, will be promptly attended to.

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Persons wanting HELP, or SITUATIONS, or NOURSES, can be furnished with the BEST by calling on the subscriber, Mrs. M. J. JENNINGS, 226 Main street, Woburn, Mass.

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Woman's Column.

The Wives of Labor.

There is a class of people in this country who get up at 5 o'clock in the morning and who never get back to bed until 10 or 11 o'clock at night; who work without ceasing the whole of that time, and receive no other emolument than food and the plainest clothing; understand something of every branch of economy and labor, from finance to cooking; though harassed by a hundred responsibilities, though driven and worried, though reproached and looked down upon, they never revolt, and they cannot organize for their own protection. Not even sickness releases them from their posts. No sacrifice is deemed too great for them to make, and no incompetency in any branch of their work is excused. No essays or books or poems are written in tribute to their steadfastness. They die in the harness and are supplanted as quickly as maybe.

These are the housekeeping wives of the laboring men. It is they who get their husbands' breakfast at 5 o'clock in the morning, get the children off to school, do the washing, ironing, baking, sewing, scrubbing, sweeping and marketing, caring all the while for the babies and doing the mending after the husband lies snoring. They do go to bed, but hardly sleep, for nursing children often draw their life from them all the night long.

What leisure or enjoyment for them? What chance for improvement or uplifting? And what do they think of the eight hour movement? They think it means that the calico they now buy for 5 cents will cost 8 cents by and by; that the coal will soon be $7 or $8 a ton, and that the pittances out of which they now buy these will be less before long. Is it a pleasure to them that their husbands will have two hours more leisure? If the men stay at home during that time, the chances are the wives will be reproached for what is deemed neglect, and that some of the children will be whipped. Will the husbands fetch coal, or black the stoves, or take the washing from the line, or go to the market? Not for one day out of the 365. They will irritate them with their criticisms, will make the children unhappy, and then leave for some place more suited to their selfishness. It sounds hard, but it is true, and every woman knows that it is true. She knows that there will be two hours less in which to earn money, and two hours more in which to spend it. She knows that her burden will be no lighter, and in patient cynicism she awaits the result.

Are those women striking for eight hours? Have they a union to which they can appeal against the cruelty of their taskmasters? Are eloquent voices raised in their behalf? Are there any laws enacted for their benefit? Are there any prominent journals advocating their cause? What would their husbands say say if these women turned out en masse and voted not to work but a certain number of hours per day, and demanded that a more righteous division of the income be made hereafter?

They would doubtless say it was midsummer madness. Is the picture overdrawn? Do or do not these women receive their share? Is working 15 hours a day, cooking over hot stoves, scrubbing over washtubs, exposing the body the every change of our fickle climate, bearing on an average one child a year, and making both ends meet after the rent is paid and the husband's beer money is spent, in return for food, shelter and the plainest clothing—is this a fair half of the working partnership? Is this an equal division of labor with an equal distribution of the profits? What would some of the men who are parading the streets, voluntarily out of work and in their best clothes, do if they found themselves bound to employers by a tie that could not be dissolved, while their work was made a thousand times more laborious and the hours nearly doubled?—*Chicago News.*

No reform of the hour, or wages of men will be a permanent benefit to society so long as women are compelled to labor for a pittance of wages, whereby, striving to keep body and soul together and finding the task too great, they fall into dissolute ways and suffer wreck both in body and soul. Nor will the success of labor reform be of any avail if intemperance shall continue to play havoc in the homes of the working people.—Mrs. Livermore.

A Temperance Hospital. The women temperance workers, under the lead of Miss Willard, have just opened a "temperance hospital" at Chicago for the treatment of disease without the use of alcohol. This is the second hospital of the kind in the world, the first having been established in London in 1873, and it proposes to treat all classes of diseases not contagious. The present quarters have a capacity for thirty beds, of which sixteen will be free; $350 covers the cost of a bed for for a year, and for that sum a person can endow one and fill it with such patients as he selects. The charter provides for a medical college, a training school for nurses and a dispensary in connection with the hospital, which the training school and dispensary will be opened at once and the college probably next year. Both allopathic and homeopathic physiphysicians will be employed, and there is a proviso by which alcohol may be administered in cases where a council of physicians decides that nothing else can avail.

The Root of the Evil.

To thoroughly cure scrofula it is necessary to strike directly at the root of the evil. This is exactly what Hood's Sarsaparilla does by acting upon the blood, thoroughly cleansing it of all impurities, and leaving not even a taint of scrofula in the vital fluid. Thousands who have been cured of scrofula by Hood's Sarsaparilla, testify to its wonderful blood-purifying qualities. Sold by all druggists.

It is a familiar and yet it always strikes one as a marvelous fact that worlds may have been for years in existence, the light of which has not yet had time to reach our earth, and that we may still continue to see the light of stars that have been for a long time extinct.—*Exchange.*

The Hom liest Man in Woburn

As well as the handsomest, and others are invited to call on Charles H. Bass and get *free* a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, a remedy that is selling entirely upon its merits and is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Price 50 cents and $1.

IN A LUCIFER-MATCH FACTORY.

The Dreadfully Disfiguring Disease Which Attacks the Employes.

It certainly is unfortunate that an invention which has been so valuable to the household and, indeed, in all cases where a ready light is desirable, should bring into the world with it so much disease. The makers of lucifer matches, large numbers of whom reside in Vienna, were some years ago attacked with a most singular disease—the rotting away of the jaw-bone. Together with this ugly and most disfiguring complaint there were always constitutional symptoms present which denoted the presence of poison in the blood. After a careful inquiry the cause of of these singular attacks was traced to the phosphorus employed in making the matches. How it could attack the bone was at first a puzzle to the physicians, but it was at length discovered that the poisonous fumes gained admission to the bone by means of decayed teeth.

Some of the German governments endeavored to meet the difficulty by examining the mouths of all persons employed in lucifer match factories, and dismissing from employment any artisan who had unsound teeth. This, to a certain extent, met the case; but inasmuch as it is impossible to give every workman a clean bill of health with respect to his morals the remedy, or rather the preventive, was not thorough. Some twenty years ago the disease also appeared in New Haven, and a medical expert was instructed to investigate the matter. After making a careful inquiry he discovered, out of fifty-nine patients, fifteen died, and the others were greatly disfigured by the destruction of the upper or lower jaw; in some cases both. It is impossible to picture a more disfiguring disease, or one which leads to greater discomfort, inasmuch as in many cases the speech is destroyed and also the process of mastication.

The only effectual method of obliterating the disease is to get rid of the phosphorus, or of so altering its character as to deprive its fumes of their deadly virulence. The common spirting match is the greatest offender in this particular inasmuch as it contains the most phosphorus. Those matches made of amorphous phosphorus, or phosphorus baked for a certain period of time, are believed to be harmless. Many attempts have been made to produce matches from this substance in connection with chlorate of potash, and at last with success. The combination, however, only takes place in the act of striking the light, the utmost danger existing in any attempt to combine them permanently together. The safety match is made principally of chlorate of potash, mixed with black oxide of manganese, red lead, sulphuret of antimony and glue, while the amorphous phosphorus is placed upon the box instead of the ordinary sand-paper, and the contact of the two materials produces the light.

It is unfortunate that a light can only be produced with the box, as workingmen do not care to be troubled by carrying one about. Until this difficulty is got over, this excellent invention, calculated to get rid of a most distressing disease, will only be used in the household, the ordinary match that will strike against any rough surface possessing advantages over it which the rough and thoughtless will demand. It is quite clear, however, that for all domestic purposes, the old match ought to be given up.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Several Remedies for Stuttering.

Stuttering is one of the most distressing of vocal defects, and it is a little singular that many parents think it a misfortune that is not susceptible of correction. It is not necessary to confine the stutterer in a cave for years and compel him to place pebbles in his mouth after the manner of Demosthenes. Syllabic accentuation, preserving the continuity of sound while beating time, is a simpler method, and has proved successful in the case of Dr. Hammond and others. Another method is to take long breath, and then to close the teeth and speak between the closed teeth, allowing the air to pass out slowly. It is said that two weeks' practice of this experiment will effect an improvement. It will not be necessary afterward to keep the teeth closed all the time when speaking, but a long inspiration should always be taken, the air being expelled slowly.—Courier-Journal.

Musical Publishers and Amateurs.

Music publishers, equally with book publishers, have large dealings with amateurs, that is to say, with people who have written songs as a diversion, and are determined to have them published at all hazards. And music publishers tell some very funny stories about such experiences. One funny story they do not tell either with frequency or gusto. In several cases amateurs who have published songs on their own account have stumbled upon successes, and, of course, have pocketed all the profits. This contingency is now provided against by publishers requiring that the amateur songwriter shall buy a sufficient number of his songs at the retail price to cover the cost of publication. Thereafter the publisher pays the amateur a royalty on every copy sold, just as though he were a professional.—New York Mail and Express.

Experiment on a Frog's Muscles.

If we place a drop of acid on the skin of the lumbar region of a decapitated frog, we immediately see the foot on the corresponding side lifted to scratch it and rub the spot irritated by the acid. Is we repeat the experiment after having amputated the foot, the application of the acid puts the frog into an evident state of agitation. It makes fruitless efforts with the stump, hesitates, stops, seems to reflect and ends by employing the other foot to wipe off the acid.—Journal of Mental Science.

What a Naturalist Has Noticed.

Scorpions, spiders and various insects have been observed to lie motionless if a persons blows upon them in a vertical direction.

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Can any one bring us a case of Kidney or Liver Complaint that Electric Bitters will not speedily cure? We say they can not, as thousands of cases already permanently cured and who are daily recommending Electric Bitters, will prove. Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Weak Back, or any urinary complaint quickly cured. They purify the blood, regulate the bowels, and act directly on the diseased parts. Every bottle guaranteed. For sale at 50c. a bottle by Wm. W. Hill.

New York *Sun*: Husband (impatiently to wife)—I told you I only wanted half a cup of tea, and, as, usual you've filled it to the top. Don't you know what half full is? Mother-in-law (grimly)—She ought to by this time.

Bankers,

Doctors, Lawyers, Carpenters, Druggists, Engineers, Mechanics, in fact we have recommendations from people in all stations in life, testifying to the wonderful cures that Sulphur Bitters have effected. Send for testimonials. See another column.

A Parisian Millionaire's Bed.

A Parisian millionaire, M. Lang, has recently had made for him a wonderful bed, which is certainly one of the most luxurious pieces of furniture we have yet heard of. If only it could become universal, what a boon it would be to early risers! The description makes one envy the unfortunate possessor. The bed itself is a model of comfort; and the following devices have been adopted to render rising from it as little unpleasant as possible. When it is time to get up, a chime of bells rings. The occupant continues to sleep.

Suddenly a candle is lit by a clever mechanical arrangement. The sleeper rubs his eyes, and an invisible hand proceeds to divest him of his nightcap. By means of electricity a spirit-lamp with coffee-roasting apparatus affixed next begins to burn. The water soon boils, and the smell of coffee soon fills the room with delicious fragrance. Luxuriously reveling in a crowd of agreeable sensations, the occupant, now just beginning to awake, is soothed by sounds proceeding from a costly musical box. At length the bells ring out another merry peal, and at the foot of the bed a card with "Levez-vous" ("Get up") inscribed on it appears. If this invention is without effect a powerful mechanism lifts the occupant bodily from his bed and deposits him on the floor.—Chicago Tribune.

A Valuable Industry in Feathers.

Quite a valuable industry is now carried on in France in the utilization of the various kinds of feathers formerly treated as worthless, especially those of wild fowl and other birds killed as game. The plan pursued consists of trimming these, particularly the larger ones off the stump, which may be thrown away, the plumes being then made use of in the manfacture of a feather cloth or blanket which possesses the essential quality of being exceedingly light and at the same time very warm.

The plumes which are separated from the stalk are placed in a bag, closed tightly, and then subjected to rubbing between the hands, as in washing clothes. In a few minutes the fibers are by this means separated from each other, and form a perfectly homogeneous and very light down, applicable by simple operation to the production of quite a variety of coverings and other household objects at a reasonable cost.—Chicago Herald.

An Artist's Terms Too High.

The art class in Portland sketch with charcoal from casts and living models. They are not sufficiently advanced to do anything with the nude yet. They pick up men and boys with strong or peculiar faces and women and girls of striking types. They drape them in such costumes as fancy may dictate or they may sketch the heads, only.

"Do your models like to stand all the afternoon and be stared at?" I asked the young lady drawing the legs of the Discobolus.

"O yes!—for 50 cents," she dryly replied, looking up for a moment.

She added: "I made a proposition to a funny looking Irishman to come in and be drawn on those terms the other day. 'It's too dear, mum,' said he. 'I kin get me tintype tuk for less money.'"—Lewiston (Me.) Journal.

The Peculiarities of the Flounder.

The flounder or flat-fish, when first hatched, has eyes placed like those of other fish. Soon one eye begins to move down nearer the mouth and over to the other side of the head, until finally both eyes are on the same side, usually the right. The flounder lies on its side, partly to escape its enemies, which it does by burying itself in the sand, and partly because it has no air-bladder and its fins are imperfectly developed.—Detroit Free Press.

The Weather Vanes on Churches.

The weather vanes on some churches are in the form of a cock, emblematic of the scriptural cock which crew twice before the denial of our Lord by the Apostle Peter. The placing of such vanes was by a papal enactment of the ninth century. They are found but rarely in America, new and artistic designs ornamenting the steeples of almost all modern churches. In France they are especially numerous.—Detroit Free Press.

And Mind the Little Things.

Springs are little things, but they are sources of large streams; a helm is a little thing, but it governs the course of a ship; a bridle is a little thing, but we know its use and power; nails and pegs are little things, but they hold the parts of a large building together; a word, a look, a smile, a frown, are little things, but powerful for good or evil. Think of this, and mind the little things.—North Carolina Mirror.

Domestic Were-Wolves in Afghanistan.

Afghanistan shepherds keep dogs that make their pasture-grounds unapproachable to strangers. They are perfect beasts of prey, ready to tear a man on the slightest provocation, but charging wolves and leopards with the same reckless courage. Game is so plentiful in the uplands that the rangers have no difficulty in providing food for a dozen of such trained were-wolves.—Cor. Chicago Times.

Safe Distribution of Natural Gas.

A patent for the safe distribution of natural gas throughout the various mains has been granted to a Pittsburger. It covers the process of mixing air with gas in such proportions that, while the danger of explosion is taken away, all the heating qualities still remain. The patent is expected to revolutionize the use of natural gas.—Chicago Tribune.

The Three Tests of Ship Anchors.

Ship anchors are carefully tested before admitted to use on English vessels. Two of the three tests of the ductibility, contraction of area, elongation and bending must be satisfactory, or the anchor will be rejected.

There are few if any original sayings. What we imagine so are often but an improvement upon ancient phrases—not always that.—Jud Lafagan in Chicago Ledger.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria,

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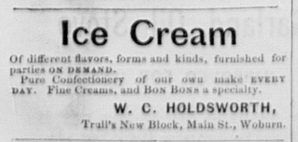
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The Woburn Journal

MARRIED ON $10 A WEEK.

The impecunious young man was low spirited and gloomy. It was not the least use in the world to try and persuade his friends that this melancholy mood was the result of the weather, for the simple reason that in the first place they declined to believe it and in the second place the weather was gloriously fine. So he resolved to make a clean breast of it and seek that consolation which a full confession is popularly supposed to confer. "Boys," he said to the two youthful adherents, whom he had met as he was slowly walking up the Bowery, chewing the end of sweet and bitter fancy, "you're both my friends, I believe."

"Oh, yes, they were both his friends. They would do anything for him—anything in reason—that is to say. At present they were rather hard up—times were very bad—and so on."

"I don't want you to lend me money," said the impecunious young man, with some stolid satisfaction visible on his meagre face. "The fact is I have more than enough to keep myself in comfort. I want the benefit of your advise more than anything else. I know you are both old married New Yorkers, who have passed through the usual experiences of young men not born with silver spoons in their mouths. That's all I want of you, I assure you, dear boys."

Advice? Oh, yes, that was another thing, of course. If he were absolutely in need of money, also, they would be delighted to help him. When they had mentioned the fact that they were hard up they had simply meant—had simply meant—well, that they were hard up. But advice! what could they do for the dear boy?

"I want to get married," said the impecunious young man; "I am nearly consumed by the burning desire which is driving me towards marriage. I think of nothing else. Single blessedness—or cursedness, which is it?—is beginning to pall upon me. I long to wed, as you did, dear boy," he added, addressing the younger of his companions, a slim young man, with the dawn of a mustache upon his transparent upper lip.

"I wedded on the principle that what is not enough to support one will be more than enough to support two. Dolt that I was," said the slim young man, fondling the spot where the mustache would probably be in the progress of the suns.

"And I," said the elder of the two, a plump, young fellow of some thirty summers, "when a clerk in a dry-goods store on the munificent salary of $10 a week, united myself to a pretty little girl whom I loved and who loved me, and I can safely say, my dear boys, that for one year I had more solid happiness than I have ever had since, though the salary is now five times the sum it was in those early days.

"Dear boy," said the impecunious young man, ecstatically, "I knew one of you two fellows would be able to help me, and I see at once that it is you. I have a larger salary than you had when you married and still you see I am complaining. If you will only tell me how you managed to live and to live happily on $10 a week, I shall be more grateful to you than I should be were you to hand me $500."

"I will do so with pleasure," said the plump young man, inflating himself with legitimate pride and leading his companions into a cosey little restaurant off the Bowery, where to the tune of three Welsh rarebits an animated discussion would be by no means unpleasant. As the steaming delicacies arrived on the capacious tray of a nimble waiter, the three young men heaved sleek little sighs of satisfaction as the plump young man proceeded to explain the mysteries of his matrimonial venture.

"It is death to a poor, or even moderetely rich young man to marry," he began, dogmatically, "unless he is perfectly convinced of the fact that his wife is very much in love with him, will stick to him through thick and thin, and readily realize the fact that she is not wedding a Vanderbilt or a Rothschild. Most poor men are perfectly convinced of these facts—if they are not, I am sorry for them. Well, I fell in love with a very young girl, who had been well educated, but who had also been accustomed to help her mother in the discharge of household duties, and who was thoroughly conversant with all the little details which are acquired with so much difficulty and so much weariness after marriage. My wife, like most young girls in love would have married me had I stated that I possessed nothing a year and no expectations. When, one day, I told her with many blushes and much hesitation, that I only received $10 a week, and that by dint of much stinting I had deposited in a savings bank the princely sum of $65, she opened her blue eyes in an ecstacy of surprise, and remarked: 'Well—I—never—thought you—had—so—much!' But I was quite determined that I would not take advantage of her ignorance of the world. I compared my paltry salary with the extensive ones received by my friends, by her own brothers, by anybody I could think of. But she never flinched. If I succeeded in convincing her that I really was a very poor young man and by no means a "catch" in the matrimonial market, she never allowed me to perceive that fact. On the contrary, at the end of this financial discussion, she thoroughly made me feel that I was not so badly off after all, and that I ought to be thankful things were as they were. So I felt no further qualms in engaging myself to her, and we fixed a very early date for our marriage. Sissie—that is my wife—in the meantime kept her eyes open, and was in all the furniture stores in the city looking about her, and making wonderful calculations. At night, when I was at the house, she would frequently drop her knitting, seize a piece of paper, and jot down something, subsequently folding the paper and putting it into her pocket.

"Well," she said on one of these occasions, "would you be satisfied to commence housekeeping in a very moderate manner—not at all uncomfortable, but rather cheap?"

Housekeeping! I had thought of boarding with my wife. How could we keep house on $10 a week? "Sissie," I said, "I am afraid you don't understand the value of money. Don't you know that a decent flat costs $45 a month, furniture at the very least $400, and food something enormous?"

No, Sissie knew nothing of the kind. She said I was foolish, like most men, imagined that housekeeping involved the expenditure of a fortune, and for the sake of a little trouble at the beginning preferred to indulge in the slovenly habit, gaining so much ground in America, popularly known as "boarding." That is what Sissie said, but I still thought she was rather Utopian in her ideas.

"Draw your $65 from the savings bank to-morrow morning, "and call for me at eleven o'clock. We will then settle everything, and you shall see that housekeeping is more than possible with your salary, and that every married man with $10 a week who boards is a goose!"

I submitted; I drew my money from the bank the next day, and an hour afterwards Sissie and I were walking through the streets, each wearing a resolute expression, occasionally tempered by a somewhat timid glance at the big stores and the crowds of wealthy shoppers. Well, Sissie first of all took me to a little street in the Ninth Ward, in the vicinity of West Tenth street, and there in a delightful-looking house, with all the appearance of comfort and dignified seclusion, we found a small apartment, consisting of three rooms, for the sum of $15 a month, or, as Sissie explained—in order to bring the proportion of the house rent within the comprehension of my salary—$3.75 a week.

"It is awfully empty," I suggested, discontentedly, as our feet pattered along the uncarpeted floors, and our voices sounded strangely powerful in the bare, square enclosure.

"You've got $65, I think," she said as though that settled the matter. I was led in wonderful state of surprise from the house after Sissie had informed the proprietor that we should occupy the apartment in a month's time. Sissie was a remarkable girl. I can't understand how she did it, but she actually contrived to persuaded the crabby old proprietor to allow us to send in our furniture as we bought it, even if we sent in some that very day. That was virtually giving us one month's rent for nothing. "Don't take that for a precedent," said the plump young man hastily to his impecunious friend. It isn't one. Sissie was altogether extraordinary; she was extremely pretty, and it is an ackowledged fact that pretty girls can do anything they like with crabby old men. Well, as I said, I was led from the house, and we walked over to the East side. I handed the $65 to Sissie, perfectly satisfied by this time that the money was infinitely better in her care than in mine. And now let me give you a list of the purchases we made on that and the three following days. They were numerous, but, as you will see, to the point. Don't think that of the prices I mention are at all out of the common. They are not. They can be duplicated any day, if you only know where to duplicate them. We first of all brought an imitation walnut bedstead for $2. It was by no means a handsome article of furniture, but we were sufficiently handsome ourselves to supply the deficiency. A mattress took another $2; a spring, $1; a washstand, $2; a dining table, $2.20; a kitchen table, $1.50; a bureau, $7; six chairs, $3; couple of pillows, $1.50; a sitting-room table, $2.50. A handsome rug, quite large enough for our sitting-room, $9. This was $34 worth of goods in cold cash. A gasoline stove, with several little accessories in the way of utensils, stood us in $8; a kitchen safe, $2.50; a set of China—not Dresden nor Sevres, but good serviceable, everyday articles—$5; a toilet set, $3.50; silver-plated teaspoons, $1.50; knives and forks, $1.75, and a wardrobe, $6.50. This completed our purchases. Sum expended, $62.75; balance in hand, $2.25. With that we bought various sundries. A month from that day my dear fellows, we moved into our department as man and wife.

"What pluck," said the impecunious young man, admiringly, while the slim young man, said he wished his wife had known as much.

"To housekeeping we went at once," resumed the plump experience-teller. "it took us a little time to get everything down to a system. But it was only a very short time. My wife, I omitted to say, received the linen necessary for our small household as a wedding present. A considerate aunt had been careful to state her intention beforehand, and that expenditure had, therefore, been spared us. Well, let me tell you what I did with my $10 a week. I put away regularly $3.75 for the rent and $2 with equal regularity for clothes when we should need them. Our food cost us $4 a week. My wife was a capital cook, and knew how to make those cute little dishes which never taste as though they were made from the remains of yesterday. I can safely say that during the whole $10 a week period I never tasted one of those hashes famous in boarding houses and called by my wife "stewed resurrection." The dishes I was served with were always dainty. They were quite inexpensive, and were simply the result of a skilful housewife's knowledge. That brought my expenses to $9.75 a week. The extra quarter I spent for cigarettes and extras. I never rode in a street-car for many years in my life. Occasionally we trespassed upon our clothing fund and went out into the country. But the ends never failed to meet, and never have I spent a happier time than I had in those days. Money is not everything, my dear fellows, though it is a great deal."

"I feel better already," said the impecunious young man joyfully. I—I—will get married."

"I'd like to get married over again," said the slim youth mournfully.

"A good housewife is everything," remarked the plump experience-teller, by way of corollary. "Remember Dean Swift's words: 'The reason why so few marriages are happy is because young ladies spend their time in making nets, not in making cages.'"—*New York Mail.*

Old-Fashioned Lard.

Grocer (to clerk)—"Say, what became of that barrel of soft-soap!"

Clerk—"Don't know."

"That's mighty strange, for it was setting here."

"Oh, you mean that pale looking stuff?"

"Yes."

"I sold it for lard."

"Did, eh?"

"Yes, sir."

"Did anybody kick?"

"Not exactly about the soap, but one man came along and said that the last flour he got here made him slobber like a horse in a white clover pasture, but—here comes some one."

Old-timer enters—"Say, got any more o' that lard?"

"No, sir, just out."

"Wush you had some more. Makes the best bread I've eaten sense I was a boy. W'y it jolts like bein' punched with a rail. That's the sort o' viddults I like—somethin' I can feel. Wife don't like it, but then she ain't been uster good livin'."

"We'll order you some more."

"Wush you would. You may talk er bout your cotton-seed oil, an' all that but old fashion' lard is the best stuff fur cookin' purposes after all. It's nachul, an' nobody has ever improved on natur yit. Wall, good mornin.' Don't furgit to order the lard. Say, I wouldn't care if it was a leetle stronger."

A procession in Brooklyn, N. Y., was being reviewed by Mayor Whitney, assisted by Attorney Jenks. Mr. Whitney said to Mr. Jenks as the head of the procession passed: Who are these fine-looking gentlemen in carriages?" and Mr. Jenks replied: "They are the wholesale liquor dealers." Mayor Whitney—"And who are the other gentlemen who follow on horseback?" Mr. Jenks—"The retail liquor dealers." Mayor Whitney—"And who are these that close the procession on foot?" Mr. Jenks—"They are the consumers."

A Public Benefaction.

How to laundry linen as it is done in Troy, N. Y., has been kept a secret long enough; it can and should be done in every family. The ELASTIC STARCH is the only starch in the United States that is put up by men have a practical knowledge of the laundry profession. It requires no cooking, keeps the iron from sticking and linen from blistering while ironing, and gives shirts, cuffs and collars that stiffness and beautiful polish they have when new, which, everybody knows keeps them clean twice as long. Beware of imitations. See that the name J. C. HUBINGER & BROS., New Haven, Conn., is on every package.

"If you are a quiet honest citizen of New York, how did these skeleton-keys and brass-knuckles happen to be found in your pants pockets?" asked Judge Duffy of a hard looking case.

"Were those things really found in my pants?" asks the prisoner, incredulously.

"You know very well that they were."

"Well, judge, the only explanation that I can offer is that during the scuffle me and the policeman who arrested me must have changed pants. We were very much excited at the time."

A Chicago newspaper heads its paragraph column: "Multum in Parvo." It is the first time we ever remember of hearing this phrase applied to wind.

"Time expired; man ditto," was the reason a country postmaster gave for notifying a publisher to discontinue sending his paper to a certain address.

Our Dumb Friends.

A CAT'S TENDER MERCIES.

Did you ever see anything so desolate and helpless as a family of young pups when the mother dog is dead? There is a supplication in their condition that even the family cat can't resist. A Lewiston physician, who keeps his horse in a stable not far from Lisbon Street, relates the following true story of an occurrence of the past fortnight: "Two families were growing up in the stable,—one canine the other feline. The cat's family was a trifle the older, but not old enough to open its eyes. Everything was fortunate in both families until the other morning there was a dead dog on the stable floor and three whining pups shivering in the straw. The next day, they attracted the attention of the cat. She was seen to walk into the stall whence the whining came and to approach the bed on the straw. She surveyed apparenly in a thoughtful way the desolate family. They seemed to strike her favorably. She lifted one by the nape of the neck and bore it home, and returned for another, and then the the last. She evidently couldn't in her motherly heart refuse a bed and board to the suffering; and the mixed-up family is said to be now rapidly approaching a condition of self-help. As a proof of instinctive mercy, the incident is certainly valuable."—*Lewiston Journal.*

THE LARK'S NEST.

Some years ago, one of the porters employed at a small station ner Darmstadt observed a pair of larks building their nest in an angle in the middle of the railway where two rails crossed. He did not disturb them. The nest was finished, and soon after four eggs were laid in it. Then the hatching began. By this time, the attention of all the people employed about the station had been turned to the nest. It seemed to them such a wonderful thing that they resolved to do all in their power to protect its owners and it. Meantime, the birds themselves seemed to have very clear ideas as to the dangers that threatened them. It was pretty to see how hen bird, which was sitting on the eggs, would duck her head down when a train passed, and then look up cheerfully when the danger was over.

In due course of time, three young ones appeared. One day after they were big enough to move about a little, but not to fly, one of them hopped out of the nest and seated itself on the rail. At that moment, a train was seen approaching. The parent birds called and coaxed in vain. The thoughtless little creature remained obstinately sitting on its dangerous perch. Its destruction seemed inevitable. Just as the train came up, the mother bird flew up from the nest seized it by the tuft on its head, and threw it over the line, ducking down again itself until the danger was past. The larks' first friend, the porter who had noticed the whole proceeding, now resolved to remove the nest, with all its living contents, from its perilous position. He took it up carefully, and deposited it in a neighboring clover field, The old birds followed him step by step, uttering shrill cries of anxiety, which changed to a loud trill of joy and, one might almost say, of gratitude, when they saw the comfortable spot in which their kind friend had put their nest. Could human beings have acted differently?—*Harper's Young People.*

Excitement in Texas.

Great excitement has been caused in the vicinity of Paris, Tex., by the remarkable recovery of Mr. J. E. Corley, who was so helpless he could not turn in bed, or raise his head; everybody said he was dying of Consumption. A trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery was sent him. Finding relief, he bought a large bottle and a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills; by the time he had taken two boxes of Pills and two bottles of the Discovery, he was well and had gained in flesh thirty-six pounds. Trial Bottles of this Great Discovery for Consumption free at W. W. Hill's.

Persons who have a superstitious dread of Friday will not be pleased to learn that this is a thoroughly Friday year. It came in on Friday, will go out on Friday and will have fifty-three Fridays. There are four months in the year that have five Fridays each; changes of the moon occur five times on a Friday, and the longest and shortest day of the year falls on a Friday.

Sough' for the last hundred years.—A remedy for catarrh, hay fever and cold in the head, found at last in Ely's Cream Balm. Safe and pleasant to use, and easily applied with the finger. It gives relief at once and a thoroughly treatment positively cures. Price 50c.

I have been troubled with cartarrh from boyhood and had considered my case chronic until about three years ago I procured one bottle of Ely's Cream Balm, and I count myself sound to-day, all from the use of one bottle.—J. R. Cooley, Hardware Merchant, Montrose, Pa.

Grocer (to new boy)—"You must tell people we are very busy, whether we are or not. They like to buy of a firm that they think does a large trade." New boy—"All right sir." Grocer (a little later)—"Didn't old Mrs. Benson want anything, James?" New boy—"Yes, sir; but I told her we was so busy that we didn't know which way to turn, an' so she said she was in a hurry, an' she'd get what she wanted round the corner."

What is more disagreeable to a lady than to know that her hair has not only lost its color, but is full of qandruff? Yet such was he case with mine until I used Parker's Hair Balsam. My hair is now black and perfectly clean and glossy.—Mrs. E. Sweeny, Chicago.

"I don't want any castor oil," said a sick little Boston boy, petulantly. "and I won't take it." "Why Horace," expostulated his mother, "don't you know that castor oil is made from beans?" And the little boy, whose faith in his mother is perfect, took the dose and feebly asked for more.

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LITERARY NOTICES.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for June is in every way an unusually strong number. The leading article, The United States Navy, is contributed by Rear-admiral Edward Simpson, U. S. N., and no one is more competent than he to say precisely what our navy is and what it ought to be. He shows how slowly the first step—from sailing to steam ships—was taken; how reluctantly, later on, iron ships were substituted for wooden ones; then with what difficulty we recently adopted the construction of steel cruisers; and that we are still waiting for the two final achievements that will make our navy effective—the steel armor plating of our ships, and the construction of heavy steel guns, equal to those made abroad. The article is profusely illustrated—each class of vessels being represented, including the recently constructed Dolphin, Atlanta and Chicago. The remaining papers of the number, many of them splendidly illustrated, are Great American Industries, Their Pilgrimage, Springhaven, She Stoops to Conquer, Through Cumberland Gap on Horseback, The Home Acre, The Death of Pope Alexander VI, The Ministration of Death, The Easy Chair, The Study and The Drawer.

*** Sold by S. Horton at the Old Woburn Bookstore.

Illustrating Prof. Edward Morse's piquant article, Japanese Boys and Girls, F. H. Lungren opens the June WIDE AWAKE with a charming frontispiece, Preparing for the Feast of Dolls. Mary Hartwell Catherwood writes an an exciting tale of the Red Pump Tavern in 1856, called The Apples on the Crane. Mrs. Brush furnishes A Tender Heart, and Prof. C. B. G. Roberts of King's College (Canada) has a finely written story of adventure, Bear vs Birch-bark. E. S. Brooks contributes The Little Lady of England, finely illustrated by Pyle. The True Bo-Peep, by Susan Archer Weiss, is an interesting contribution to folk-lore. Some Nantucket Children is a humorous study of Nantucket peculiarities by Mrs. Annie Mitchell Macy. Mrs. Sherwood, in her series, Royal Girls and Royal Courts, writes about three Danish Princesses, Alexandra, Dagmar and Thyra, and the Danish Royal household; and Mrs. Jessie Benton Fremont writes in this same number about the royal Danish festivities many years ago, which she attended, in honor of the marriage of the Crown Prince, describing many unique court customs. L. M. N. gives an account of a Royal Siamese Hair-Cutting. Mrs. S. M. B. Piatt has a fine poem, The Talk of the Two, on Queen Victoria's birthday—the "two" being two little boys over in Queenstown, Ireland. There is also an American Historical Ballad by Sarah Orne Jewett, York Garrison, 1640, with beautiful illustrations by W. L. Taylor. The serial stories are entertaining: The Crew of the Cassabianca, by C. R. Talbot, Pamela's Fortune, by Lucy C. Lillie, and Peggy and her Family, by Margaret Sidney. $3.00 a year. D. Lothrop & Co., Publishers, Boston.

The contents of THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY for June illustrate the varied character of the field which that publication cultivates. The more than a dozen articles it contains concern as many different aspects of scientific thought; yet, while distinct in subject and treatment, they are as one in fidelity to the avowed purpose of the magazine, of extending knowledge and making it attractive. Evolution bounded by Theology, by Le Sueur replies to a paper by Dr. Lyman Abbott on a similar subject in the Andover Review. In his third paper on Mexico, Mr. Eavid A. Wells considers the condition of that country as to agriculture, manufactures and mining. Mr. Herbert Spencer, in The Factors of Organic Evolution, considers the effects wrought on the organism by its medium. In The Millenium of Madness Dr. Oswald exhibits the influence of aeceticism. An important and interesting contribution to the history of our aborigines is made by Mr. Horatio Hale, in the Ethnology of the Blackfoot Tribes. Some interesting facts and experiments are related in Mr. Delbeuf's What may Animals be taught? Mr. F. G. Mather's Primitive Clocks is full of interest. An admirable delineation of a very odd character is given in Prof. Jordan's sketch of Rafinesque. Prof. Lockwood furnishes a pleasant paper on Scratching in the Animal Kingdom. An interesting psychological study will be found in Prof. Preyer's Counting unconsciously. Mr. Teale's Principles of Domestic Fireplace Construction, and Herr Stinde's The Poisons in Spoiling Food, have great economical value. Eels and their Young is a paper of curious interest. A portrait and a biographical sketch are published of Dr. George Engelman. The editor at his table discusses The Labor Troubles, in the adjustment of which he suggests that much good would come of greater frankness on both sides. New York: D. Appleton & Co. Fifty cents a number, $5 a year.

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Temperance Notes.

Prohibition is in such favor in Georgia that 115 out of 137 counties have adopted it, under the local option law.

A National Temperance Hospital has been recently opened in Chicago under the auspices of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, for the non-alcoholic treatment of all diseases common to hospital treatment.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union in Manchester, N. H., has presented the Mayor and Aldermen with a petition, signed by over 1,200 church-members, requesting that the laws against intemperance be enforced.

One who has figured it all up says two drinks of whiskey cost a pound and a half of beefsteak; two beers, a dinner of mutton-chops; one cocktail, an egg plant or head of cauliflower. "What will you take, Charlie?" stands for a nice oyster stew for the whole family on Sunday morning. "Set 'em up again!" means sugar in the house for a month.

The student of human nature cannot help forming the following conclusions: a man may be without aptitude for anything and yet achieve success in life; he may have aptitude but be without energy, that is to say, lazy, in which event he will be a failure; he may have both aptitude and energy, but be a hard drinker, in which case he will be the greatest failure of all.—*Boston Courier.*

A Sensible Man
Would use Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. It is curing more cases of

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, MAY 28, 1886.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S Horton, 195 Main Street, A. Robie, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at he Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

☞ I had a long and pleasant chat with "Bob Hudson," or "Boob," as James Gordon Bennett of the olden time used to call him. He is the last surviving of the brothers Hudson who as much as Bennett himself made the New York *Herald* what it was and what it is. Bob Hudson is a reminder in his person of what a news-room and a merchant's exchange was in the olden time in Boston. With the exception of his infliction, blindness, he is the same jovial Bob Hudson of fifty years ago. I have a stock of personal reminiscences, which I shall give to the *Journal* shortly.—*Boston Corr. of Hingham Journal.*

One of the most interesting and entertaining features of that handsome paper, the Hingham *Journal*, is the weekly letters from Boston of a veteran, the text of each of which is Boston men and things of forty and fifty years ago. We always read them with pleasure. The writer must have known the "Hub" of those days "like a book," and has a memory that seldom lets anything escape its grasp. But once in awhile he trips just a trifle in his facts. The above from the *Journal* is an illustration of this. "Bob Hudson" is not "the last surviving of the brothers Hudson" who did not so much for the success of the N. Y. *Herald*, for only last Monday morning we met Hon. Edward W. Hudson, of Woburn, who not only still "survives," but bids fair to do so for a good many years yet. Robert Hudson—"Bob" as his old friends call him—went to the Boston *Transcript* in 1828—58 years ago; subsequently started and published the *Bostonian*; and from there went into the "Exchange." Edward W. Hudson, for years one of the most prominent and esteemed citizens of Woburn, began furnishing news to the N. Y. *Herald* with its birth, in 1835; in 1837 he accepted the position of commercial editor on the same and continued to occupy it until 1858—21 years. Another of the brothers Hudson remained longer on the *Herald* and left it in 1865. Our townsman, while occupying one of the editorial chairs of that great paper, had for fellow-craftsmen and associates such famous journalists, poets and *literateurs* as Gen. Morris, James Watson Webb, Thurlow Weed, N. P. Willis, and others no less distinguished, all of whom are gone to the other side, while he is still in the prime and vigor of manhood.

☞ The Waltham *Free Press*, usually a cool-headed and self-possessed journal, has permitted itself to become quite angry over Senator Harlow's alleged opposition to the "permissive vaccination" bill in the Legislature, and indulges in some harsh expressions towards that gentleman. The bill, it seems, was a pet scheme of Waltham's, and its loss has, we infer from the *Free Press* article, aroused that city to a high pitch of excitement. Nevertheless, common-sense people will agree that the fate of the bill, which, by the way, should be dubbed local option instead of permissive, was deserved, and if Senator Harlow opposed it he manifested good judgment in doing so. We would improve this opportunity to caution, in a spirit of brotherly love, the *Free Press* against allowing its angry passions rise on so frivolous a pretext.

☞ Last Monday the schooner Sisters, Capt. Ellis, from Yarmouth, N. S., put into Portland to sell a catch of fish, an act which the Captain now deeply regrets. When the Custom House officers demanded his manifest it occurred to him for the first time that it had been left at home, and the skipper found himself in a bad fix. His old smack was duly seized with its load of fish and put into the hands of keepers. Being his first voyage as master Capt. Ellis felt very badly over the blunder, but there was no help for it, his schooner and load had to go. It was rather queer that such an excellent opportunity to retaliate on the Dominion authorities for seizing the Gloucester and Portland fishing vessels should have occurred so soon.

☞ Since President Cleveland heard from Mr. Tilden a few days ago he has been known to say, so it is reported, that the mugwumps have received their share of the public offices, and hereafter he will give the "spoilsmen" a chance at them. Mr. Tilden sent word to him by a distinguished Erie county politician that the future life of the party depended on a change in the manner of distributing the patronage, which frightened the President into making the above declaration. So, in substance, says the Washington correspondent of the Boston *Globe*.

☞ The *Herald* is the only administration paper printed in Boston at the present time. But it is "a whole team and a horse to let" and so long as it holds out on its present line the President can rest assured that his interests will be ably taken care of.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

W. E. Carter—Rink.
T. C. Evans—Stetson.
John Parsons—For Sale.
W. Hammond—Bicycle.
James Skinner—To Let.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
L. L. Whitney—Citation.
Buckman & White—Butter.
Town of Woburn—Warrant.
Mrs. B. A. Stearns—Wanted.
Mrs. B. A. Stearns—Opening.
Horace Dodd—"Woodbury's."
C. S. Gosse—Mason & Hamlin.
Thompson & Saxton—Liniment.
J. G. Maguire—App. for License.
J. M. Ellis & Co.—Contractors, etc.
Ladies' Aux. Y. M. C. A.—Festival.
Town of Woburn—Street Railway Hearing.
Town of Winchester—Street Railway Hearing.

— Mrs. Stearns wants a good apprentice girl. See card.

— The proprietors are going on with their varnish factory near the Chemical Works.

— Within a short time a Lodge of Ancient Order of United Workmen has been organized here.

— Rumors to the contrary, at last accounts Messrs. E. N. Blake & Co. had not sold their tannery.

— Fifty inch bicycle for sale—in first class condition—call or address W. Hammond, 181 Main street.

— Have you seen the 1886 Garland Oil Stove at Jenkins' hardware store? It is a beauty. It is a Garland.

— H. M. Ford had his arm badly injured in the machinery at Fox's factory last week, but is doing well now.

— Mr. Hudson on Canal street had forty very nice hens killed one night last week by, it was supposed, some wild animal.

— The family of Mr. Thomas H. Hill arrived from the South last Monday and he and they have gone to housekeeping.

— The thermometers in this town indicated a temperature of 84 degrees in the shade last Sunday. Pretty hot for May.

— The *Advertiser* could not muster pluck enough this week to say a single word for or against cutting down that noble elm.

— There was another elegant rain last Tuesday which wet down the ground and washed the dust from the grass first rate.

— Dr. W. A. Reynolds drives as fine a team as there is in Woburn. He has lately purchased the whole outfit, and it is a good one.

— The committee on Town By-laws will hold a meeting this evening and finish up their report to be made to the Town Meeting on June 8.

— By his will the late Dea. Benjamin Millett left the bulk of his property, after bequests to relatives, to various Baptist organizations.

— Last Sunday members of the police force appeared out in their new white helmets and looked very nobby. They are neat pieces of herdgear.

— Mr. Benjamin Champney, the landscape painter, will leave his Pleasant street residence to-morrow for his summer home at North Conway.

— The *Advertiser* is determined that Woburn shall not have 12,000 population if it can prevent it. See its slap at the *Globe* and JOURNAL in last issue.

— The Woburn Brass Band, Marrinan leader, has been engaged to play at Reading in the forenoon of Memorial Day and at Wakefield in the afternoon.

— Mr. J. B. Sawtell bought the property on Montvale Avenue sold at executor's sale last Tuesday by L. L. Whitney, Esq. It is said he got a good bargain.

— A Town Meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 8, for the transaction of business, the character of which may be learned by referring to our advertising columns.

— Our esteemed, Chairman of the Perpetual Committee, is as dumb as an oyster about a 4th of July celebration this year. What has come over the spirit of his dreams?

— Rev. Fr. McDonald of St. Charles church preached an able and very pointed discourse against the local rum traffic last Sunday. We trust he will keep on doing so.

— Copeland, Bowser & Co. always do as they agree, and by reference to their advertisement it will be seen that they agree to sell certain goods at half price. They mean it.

— Dave Ronco, the well-known and popular hair-dresser, shaver, etc., has employed a first rate workman, and is now ready to despatch customers with neatness and promptly.

— Mr. James T. Freeman received a despatch last Wednesday that his father was dangerously ill at his home at Farmingdale, Maine, and left on the 11.40 train for that place.

— We advise people who would buy goods cheap and get their money's worth all the time to give Mr. Charles H. Barnes, 512 Washington street, Boston, a call. His is a very popular store.

— New gates have been put in at some of the R. R. crossings at the Centre and others are nearly completed. Wat Brown says they are a great deal better than the ones removed, and Wat knows.

— We return thanks to Mr. Dean Dudley for a copy of his "Directory of Wakefield, Stoneham and Reading for 1886-7." It is arranged and printed in first class shape and does credit to Mr. Dudley.

— Mr. James Skinner advertises three new, nice tenements on Chestnut street for rent. Each contains eight rooms; the houses have just been finished, and are desirable. His terms will be moderate.

— Miss Hannah R. Hudson has a fine poem entitled "Nothing to Do" in the June number of "The Wide Awake," one of the best and most popular magazines for young people published in the land.

— We call attention to the changed card of C. A. Smith & Son. Allow us to remark that the Smiths have a very large stock of spring and summer dry and dress goods, of the latest styles, which they invite the ladies to examine.

— Just 51 years ago to-day the first locomotive was run from Lowell to Boston on the B. & L. R. R. She was the "Stevenson", run by engineer William Robertson, who brought her over from England the year before.

— Having finished putting the new engine and other machinery into his factory Mr. Robert Duncan called in his full complement of workmen last week and everything is booming right along there again. The men enjoyed quite an outing.

— Comrade Barrett says that Memorial day ceremonies here this year will be better than for a long time past. The "boys" have entered into the celebration with more zeal than usual, and they are going to make it a gratifying success.

— Mr. Joseph R. Green returned a few days ago from California where he went some time last January. Coming back he halted awhile in Texas and took in other parts of the Union. His appearance indicates the enjoyment of good health.

— The game of base ball between the Woburn H. S. and Winchester H. S. was given to the Woburns 9 to 0 on account of the Winchesters leaving the field. At the end of the seventh innings the score was 18 to 15 in Winchester's favor.

— J. McGovern, D. Kelly and M. J. McMahon have been chosen delegates by the St. Charles C. T. A. S. to attend the annual convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union to be held in Monument Hall, Charlestown, on Memorial Day.

— Messrs. J. M. Ellis & Co. have a card in this paper to which attention is called. This firm is doing a big business in which they employ fifty men, who are scattered all over this part of the country working on jobs. The firm bears an excellent reputation.

— It is rumored that the 10.40 P. M. train to Boston is to be taken off. We shall be very glad of it if the managers will put it on somewhere in the close neighborhood of 8 o'clock P. M. The 10.40 train is not of near so much importance as one or two more earlier in the evening.

— Mr. John Parsons, fire and marine insurance agent, No. 3 Pemberton Square, Boston, advertises in this paper some very desirable real estate in Winchester, near the Woburn line, to which the attention of builders and real estate dealers is called. It will be sold at a bargain.

— Our friends who admire art in furniture, when in Boston, will find it interesting to take a stroll through the mammoth furniture establishment of Paine's Furniture Company, 48 Canal Street, near the Boston & Maine depot. The display is almost bewildering in extent and beauty.

— There was a mortal change in the weather last Tuesday afternoon. From almost dog-day heat and mugginess the mercury fell to about 50 in a couple of shakes of a lamb's narrative, or so, and if clouds and wind hadn't prevailed on Tuesday night there would have been a big frost—in our judgment.

— Bridget Callahan was raided for illicit rum in good shape last Wednesday. The discovery of two barrels of ale and several gallons of No. 1 tangleleg showed the kind of business Bridget has been carrying on of late, but it is not likely she will do so any more, right away, if Chief Nelson and his officers know themselves, and they think they do.

— Officers Willoughby and Claffy are faithfully watching after the fish interests in Horn Pond and protecting them in good shape. It is next to impossible for fishermen to cast a line into Horn Pond without being detected and hauled up by Officers Claffy and Willoughby. On August 1st there will be free fishing in the Pond which is brimful of pan-fish.

— We call particular attention to the advertisement of Mrs. B. A. Stearns in our business columns. It will be seen that she will re-open at her old stand next Tuesday, and by referring to her card the ladies and others may learn of the business which she is to carry on. Mrs. Stearns needs no recommendation here at home, being too well and favorably known for that.

— The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Congregational church are cordially invited to attend a reception to be given by Mrs. Hon. John Cummings to Mrs. Barrakat, to the Brahmin widow, and many other ladies engaged in missionary work, at her home in Cummingsville, from 4 to 6 o'clock, Saturday afternoon, May 29.

PER ORDER.

— The Boston *Herald* of last Sunday had this item among its "art notes": A landscape by Mr. Albert Thompson has been bought for the new Converse Memorial library in Malden. It represents an orchard, through which four cows are being driven by a small boy, who has stopped to put up the bars behind the animals. The effect and execution of the work is very fine.

— It is said that eminent legal talent will be employed by the town in the investigation of the Clough will matter. We have been unable so far to get at just what the case is, or exactly what the Committee on Claims and Library Trustees are ordered to investigate, but think it is something about the transfer of the trusteeship of the Clough estate or something. Anyway, they say there's going to be a tussle.

— By an item in last week's JOURNAL the impression was conveyed that the Insurance Agency of Emerson & Goddard had gone out of business. The firm has dissolved on account of the physical condition of Mr. Emerson, but Mr. Goddard will continue the agency just as though no dissolution had taken place. He has a great number of the best companies in the world with which he is doing a large business.

— There was a very pleasant flag presentation at the headquarters of Post 161, G. A. R., on last Wednesday evening that will not soon be forgotten by the comrades. At an hour well along in the evening a large number of ladies secured entrance into headquarters and at just the proper moment Mrs. Perkins, wife of Past Commander George Perkins, in behalf of the ladies, presented Post 161 with a handsome and valuable silk flag, accompanying the present with a very nice and patriotic address. The flag was gallantly accepted in an excellent speech by Commander Moore, after which remarks were made by P. C., George Perkins, P. S. V. C., M. T. Allen, and others, and a very pleasant season followed. The flag was an elegant one.

— Last Friday night two gentlemen broke out of the town jail and skipped, so to speak. Their offense was intoxication beyond the legal limit. On Saturday Chief Nelson captured one of them in the lower part of Winchester, and he was fined $50 and costs for attempting to regain his liberty. Being unable to command that amount of the needful just at that moment he was hustled off to the House of Correction. His partner is still *non est*.

— The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. advertise to hold a strawberry festival at the Y. M. C. A. Rooms, on next Monday evening, for which they are making ample preparations. Strawberries, icecream, cake, etc., will be offered for sale, for which there ought to be a great number of purchasers. The object of the festival is to make some money with which to aid the work of the society, and therefore will be worthy of a liberal patronage.

— The Boston & Lowell railroad has just put on a new combination baggage and smoking car which is a credit to the Northern division in Concord, N. H. The car is numbered 79, and has seats for 60 passengers, eight tables for card parties being furnished. The interior finish is ash, with old gold upholstered seats and a light wood headlining. The car is mounted on the Lowell road's standard trucks and is provided with all the safety appliances.

— Mr. W. F. Kenney, member of the Boston *Globe's* editorial staff, will marry a prominent young Waltham lady on next Wednesday morning at Waltham. In the evening a wedding reception will be held at the residence of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kenney, on Main street, this village, at the close of which the newly wedded and happy pair will leave for a bridal trip. On their return they will take and occupy Mr. Hudson's new house on Canal street.

— There is to be a grand attraction at Carter's Academy this evening, for the particulars of which attention is directed to the rink card in this paper. The Woburns and Walthams are to be pitted against each other, and everybody knows that means a game of polo worth paying big money to witness. The bare announcement of a contest between these old favorites will be enough to fill Carter's big rink crowded full, and it will stand everybody in hand to go early if seats or even standing room is secured. Read the announcement.

— Last Wednesday evening the members of the Woburn Brass Band repaired to the residence of Mr. Thomas H. Marrinan, their leader, and presented him with a beautiful silver ice-pitcher, sett of goblets and a salver. They were presented in behalf of the Band by Mr. James Kimball, a member, whose remarks were appropriate, as were also Leader Marrinan's in accepting the elegant and costly gift. These ceremonies were followed by a very choice spread, music, and pleasant social intercourse. It was a generous gift worthily bestowed.

— There is an article in the warrant to see whether the town will vote to have that splendid old elm at the junction of Main, Pleasant and Winn streets cut down. It was planted by the late Charles Choate, J. B. Winn and other prominent citizens more than fifty years ago, and hundreds of our leading people have petitioned the Board of Selectmen to spare it. It is a beautiful and useful tree, and it is a shame to cut it down. We do not believe the voters of this town will consent to have it done. We can see no reason for it. Let us all vote to save that grand old elm.

— Mr. E. Cooper celebrated the anniversary of the birthday of Her Majesty the Queen of Great Britain and Empress of all the Indias, last Monday, in a modest and becoming manner. This course was adopted as a token of sympathy for Her Majesty's sorrow over the seizure of Capt. Ellis's fishing smack, The Sisters, from Yarmouth, N. S., by the Portland Customs officers, last Monday. It was very considerate in Mr. Cooper thus to regard the feelings of Her Majesty, especially as it has been his habit to make the day a grand gala occasion.

— The story which some of the Boston papers published the other day about the strike by the farm hands of Hon. John Cummings was a very good case of "great cry and little wool." There has been no strike among his farm laborers and no occasion for any. Mr. Cummings treats his men well, so far as we have ever heard, and they stick by him. He pays good, fair wages—as much as he can afford to probably; and even if it were otherwise it would not be good judgment for his employes to undertake to bulldoze him, because he is not a man that scares easily. As we understand it they have attempted nothing of the kind. The story of the strike was made out of whole cloth.

— Mr. F. H. Lewis has been engaged as organist this summer at the Ruggles St. Church, Boston, where the famous Male Quartett sing. This is the fourth summer that Mr. Lewis has filled this position. This year several applicants were in the field who underbid him, but superior qualifications won the day. A Sunday or two since the regular organist at the Unitarian Church here failed to appear, and Mr. Lewis was called in with only ten minutes notice. The beautiful extemporized voluntary he played on that occasion proved his right to be called a master of his profession and many of his friends would like to see him fill his old position in that church.

— We thought last Tuesday evening that perhaps the pleasing duty of writing and publishing Col. W. T. Grammer's obituary would fall to our lot this week, but generally speaking our porringer is bottom side up when it rains, or it don't rain. This time it was the latter. The report was current Tuesday evening that Col. Grammer had been killed by the cars somewhere between here and Boston, and "it came so straight," and the belief in the story was so strong, that we began to put our pencil in order for the production of some of the finest obituary literature that it was in our power to manufacture. However, all in good time, the Colonel turned up safe and sound at the post-office, and was very much surprised to learn of the report of his death, as not the least thing had occurred to make it out of, and we were all very glad that there wasn't.

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— Buckman & White are the only receivers in this town of the famous Star Creamery butter made at Belvidere, Illinois, which is superior to any other butter offered for sale in Boston or elsewhere in New England. It is the real "golden" that we read about, and as sweet as it is possible for butter to be made. The Belvidere creameries are noted for the excellence of their products all over the country, and the "Star" stands at the head of them. Buckman & White are fortunate in getting this butter to handle, and the community are equally fortunate. They invite judges of the genuine article of dairy product to call and examine their "Star Creamery." Every pound is warranted.

— The word now is that female cooks have no rights which newly-fledged male ones are bound to respect. But we would caution them not to crow too lustily before they are out of the woods. This is the way of it: some one of the several ladies' societies of the Congregational church has a monthly tea with a modest entertainment of music, etc., to which gentlemen are invited. The next one of these occurs on Thursday evening, June 10, and it is to be "run" entirely by the men folks. They have got it all planned out to do the cooking entirely by themselves, individually, personally, without aid or assistance from female heads or hands; to serve the meal; finally, do just as the women would do under such circumstances. Remember—Thursday, June 10, male cooks. And may the Lord have mercy on those who eat the supper!

— A meeting of firemen was held at the steamer house on last Monday evening to consider the matter of organizing a Fireman's Relief Association, and if thought advisable, to inaugurate measures for that purpose. Chief Engineer Clarence Littlefield was chosen Chairman of the meeting, who stated its objects. It was voted to organize temporarily, which was done by the choice of Clarence Littlefield, President; C. B. Green, Vice-President; E. F. Tibbetts, Secretary. A committee of nine were appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws, the same to report at a future meeting to be called by the President. The organization of such an association is a step in the right direction for wherever they exist their beneficial effects are felt by all firemen. There is a plenty of men in the Woburn department to make a good, strong society.

— At the last meeting of the Woman's Club, held in the vestry of the Unitarian Church, on the 21st of May, Mrs. Livermore delivered an earnest and eloquent address on "Sight and Insight." The contrast between the materialist and the idealist was strongly drawn,—the one a slave to the facts he makes supreme, shutting himself within a hard, sad, unsatisfactory present; the other, inspired by faith, gaining the power to interpret the "riddle of the painful earth," and dwelling on the sunny heights of life. The finer senses of the materialist are embryonic; pent in narrowness and darkness, he has no wings to rise. To the idealist pains and sorrows are but rounds of the golden ladder which loses itself in God. "Climbing steadily into a finer, brighter atmosphere, he can but wonder at his own past failures and his brother's doubts." Mrs. Livermore spoke for more than an hour. No discussion followed the lecture. At the opening of the meeting it was proposed by a member to change the hour of commencing from three to half past three, the time stated in the Constitution. This proposed change will be voted upon at the next meeting which will be held in the vestry of the Baptist Church, on the 4th of June. Mrs. Kate Gannett Wells will speak on "Marriage."

— Those of our citizens whose knowledge of Indians has been derived from reading J. Fennemore Cooper's romances, and whose interest in them is purely of a sentimental kind, have seen fit to call us to account for the well meant and somewhat complimentary notice we gave George W. Norris, Esq., on learning of his appointment to the honorable and lucrative position of Government Agent to the Nez Perces tribe in some of the far Western Territories. Only on the ground, these sentimental objectors say to us, that it is desirable and for the public good that all the remaining tribes of American savages and especially the Nez Perces be wiped out of existence in the least possible space of time and without mercy, is the appointment of Mr. Norris to be tolerated for a moment, and they further say that such grounds are untenable and inhuman. It is remarked that some of these people talk of sending to Washington protests against his confirmation. On the other hand, we have found men who say they are pleased at Mr. Norris's appointment and the reason they give is, that the welfare of white people is of more consequence than the simple question of whether the Indian exists much longer or not. Neither were these pleased with our notice of Mr. Norris, and between them both the JOURNAL has had rather a tough week of it.

Thompson's Liniment.

This is to certify that we have used A. W. Thompson's liniment in our family for Rheumatism and sore throat for which it is recommended, and in one case an immediate relief and cure for tonsilitis and pronounce it the best liniment we have ever used and recommend it to be all that it is claimed to be. JOHN W. HECKBERT.

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Board of Trade.

The large attendance of members at the meetings demonstrates the fact that the interest in the affairs of the Board of Trade continues to be encouraging. Indeed, by that standard of judgment, it is clear that the interest is on the increase, which augurs well for its prosperity and the good of the town. At the meeting of the Executive Committee, last Tuesday evening, there was an unusual number of members present, and they were chiefly those who take the most active part in the management of its business. It was very encouraging to see so many prominent business men on hand participating in the affairs.

Chairman N. J. Simonds presided at the meeting and Secretary Conn was promptly on hand as usual. The treasurer was instructed to procure insurance on the Board's property in the Rooms, and, on motion of Mr. James Skinner, Messrs. Flint, Hinckley and McDonald were appointed a committee to confer with the owners of the Bank Building respecting some repairs. Some other business matters were attended to; the Lecture Committee made an informal report respecting the papers and magazines to be furnished for the Rooms, and then the matter of railroad fares and trains was discussed until 9.30 o'clock. This was participated in by nearly all the members present, and during the discussion the fact was developed that the present 100-ride tickets at $11.50 is preferred to the old season ticket rule by a large majority. Every speaker expressed such a preference, and Chairman Simonds had no doubt but that nine-tenths of the old season-ticket holders would vote for the present, instead of the late, arrangement.

Some other matters were canvassed, and the general sentiment expressed was that everything in town is in a prosperous condition, and that the boom is growing.

Selectmen's Meeting.

A special meeting of the Board of Selectmen was held on last Tuesday evening with all the members present except three. Considerable business was done.——A communication was received from the No. Woburn Street Railway Company containing a notice of its amended charter and a request for permission to locate the line through the town to Winchester. On this request voted that a hearing be given the Company and all parties interested on Saturday, June 12, next, at 3 o'clock, p. m.——An invitation from G. A. R. to participate in the ceremonies of Memorial Day was accepted.——Claim of John Ahern for damages from defective highway referred to Committee on Claims.——A remonstrance signed by Rev. Dr. March and many others against cutting down the tree near the Common was laid on the table. And a petition signed by Jacob Brown and other citizens praying that the order for cutting down said tree be rescinded, laid on the table.——Voted, that the Highway Committee cause a survey to be made of Main, Winn, Pleasant and Park streets at their junction.——Letter of Armstrong asking for work, referred.

School Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the School Board was held on last Tuesday evening.——Application of Kate Richardson for position of teacher filed.——Communication of Trustees of Warren Academy referred to Committee on Supplies.——Request of Miss Bowers for leave of absence granted.——The resignation of Mr. H. M. Aldrich from the office of Auditor received and accepted.——Report of Superintendent received and filed.——Voted to invite the School Boards of Burlington and Winchester to a conference to canvass the question of tuition of non-resident pupils.——Voted, that the public schools close on Thursday, July 1, and that the exhibition of High School take place on July 2.——Voted that, excepting the High School, the exercises of closing day be an exemplification of the regular school work, and that the public be invited to attend.——Voted that an orchestra be procured for the High School exhibition.——Voted to fix the Salary of Secretary of the Board at $50 a year.——Mr. S. F. Trull was elected auditor to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Aldrich.——Messrs. Lang and Smith were appointed on Music.

THE MASON & HAMLIN PIANOS. The new method of stringing pianos invented by the Mason & Hamlin Organ and Piano Company is attracting considerable attention abroad. The Zeitschrift fur Instrumentenbau of Feb. 1, 1886, issued at Leipsic, Germany, contains a long article, declaring their method to be the most perfect yet invented, and predicts that other manufacturers will be obliged to acknowledge this and adopt the system.

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Population of Woburn.

We have received from Hon. Carroll D. Wright, Chief of the Massachusetts Bureau of Statistics and Labor, his printed report of the "Population for 1875 and 1885: Increase and Decrease: By Towns," which also contains censuses of population of the State from 1765 to 1885, inclusive; polls and voters; families, number and average size; size of families; dwelling houses, number and materials. It is a very valuable publication.

From the report we gather the following facts respecting the population of Woburn. The number of inhabitants in the town in 1765 was 1,515; 1776, 1,691; 1790, 1,727; 1800, 1,228; 1810, 1,219; 1820, 1,519; 1830, 1,977; 1840, 1,993; 1850, 3,956; 1855, 5,448; 1860, 6,287; 1865, 6,099; 1870, 9,580; 1875, 9,568; 1880, 10,932; 1885, 11,750. The gain from 1875 to 1885 was 2,182, or 22.80 per cent. The cause of the decrease in 1800 and 1810 was the slicing off of a part of its territory out of which to organize other towns.

The number of polls in town in 1885 were: voters, 2,905; not voters, 124; aliens, 443; total, 3,472; of which 1,751 were native and 1,154 foreign. The number of families that year was 2,479; average number of persons in each, 4.74: Houses, occupied, 2,109; empty, 16; total, 2,125; average number of persons in each house, 5.57; families in each, 1.18.

These are interesting figures, especially as showing the progress of the town in population in the last one hundred and twenty years.

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MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m.; Preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m. Theme—Memorial Day. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.45 Covenant meeting on Friday evening at 7.45.

UNITARIAN.—Preaching at 10.30 a. m. by the pastor. Subject: "The Manliness of Christ."

CONGREGATIONAL—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 P. M.; Preaching by Rev. Mr. Newton of Stoneham, at 7 P. M. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL.—Services at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Vestry meeting after evening service. Seats free.

The Scandinavian Evangelical Society, Y. M. C. Rooms. Sunday, preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 m. Praise meeting at 6.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Bible Reading, Friday at 7.30 p. m. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise meeting at 4 o'clock. Boys' meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30. Scandinavian services Sunday at 10.30, Wednesday evening at 7.30. Reading Room open daily from 6.30 to 9.30 p. m., Wednesday excepted. Boys' Branch at 7.45 p. m., on Tuesdays. Sunday 9 a. m. Prayer meeting.

Danish Evang. Lutheran (St. Peters) Society, 218 Main street. Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m., praise meeting. Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock, preaching by Rev. V. A. M. Mortensen, pastor.

UNION A. M. E. Services at 11 a. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m. Regular meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7.45.

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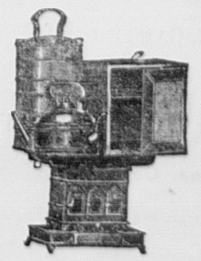
Married.

In Woburn, May 27, at the Unitarian Church, by Rev. H. A. Westall, Mr. John E. Talbot and Miss Emily Wanstall, both of Woburn.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, May 21, John F. Turner, aged 1 year, 1 month, 28 days.
In Woburn, May 24, Andrew W. Fresh, aged 36 years, 8 months, 21 days.
In Woburn, May 24, Mary H. Bowers, aged 65 years, 2 months.



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WINCHESTER.

Our new bridge is completed and in good running order.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Ayer have gone to California. S. S. Langley has gone to Europe.

The Congregational folks have taken down the post-and-rail fence around their church.

Postmaster-elect Garcelon will take the office at the beginning of the next quarter July 1.

The Selectmen have advertised to give a hearing to the No. Woburn Street Railway Co., on application for permission to lay tracks, etc., on Saturday, June 12.

The Unitarian Society have selected George S. Littlefield and Edwin Ginn as their representatives in the meetings of the American Unitarian Association this year.

Boston Courier: The Misses Andrew, sisters of ex-Governor Andrew, who have been passing the winter at Winchester, will soon go to their country residence in Gorham, N. H.

The Maplewood Band of Malden will furnish the music for Decoration Day services. S. C. Small, R. S. Corr and W. A. Snow constitute the committee of arrangements.

The railroad company have not yet commenced putting in the two additional tracks to Boston, and it is not certain that they will be put in this summer, although it is probable they may be.

The recently elected officers of the Fortnightly Club are: President, Mrs. Fred Winsor; Vice-President, Mrs. J. P. Gregory; Treasurer, Miss F. O. Robinson; Secretary, Miss Sarah Newell; Directors, Madames Harrison Parker 2nd, W. H. Bailey, Ordway.

Julian F. Witherell's programme for a concert in Harmony Hall last evening was a grand, one and the assisting artists were the best in Boston, namely: Mrs. H. F. Knowles, Soprano; Rudolph King, pianist; Charles E. McLaughlin, violinist. Seven numbers were given, nearly all of which consisted of several parts, and they were rendered in admirable style. The concerts of Mr. Witherell have been very popular here, and deservedly so, for those of no other artist excel them in real merit.

Memorial Day will be duly observed in this town on Monday, May 31, according to general orders. They will consist of an oration in Lyceum Hall by C. E. Jefferson, Esq., of Boston University, and music by the children under the leadership of C. E. Sweet. The meeting at the Hall will take place at 2 o'clock, p. m. and will be under the direction of Mr. A. D. Wells. On Sunday evening an appropriate sermon will be preached in the Unitarian church by Rev. J. L. Marsh, which Post 148 will attend in a body.

Early next week Mr. C. E. Smith, the popular Woburn painter, paper-hanger, etc. will open a store next to Mr. Sanderson's grocery in the block occupied by him, where he will keep a full and complete stock of wall papers, window shades, etc., all of the latest styles and best quality. Mr. Smith has the reputation of being a first class workman and employs only the very best help, and our citizens who engage him or buy his goods will be perfectly satisfied with both. A firstrate paper-hanger will have charge of his store, which will be a neat, nice and pleasant one. A share of public patronage will be duly appreciated by Mr. Smith.

The Stars played their first game of ball last Saturday and beat the Woburn High School. In the first four innings it looked as if the Stars had a soft time but after the fourth the W. H. S. settled down to steady work and the Stars did not have an easy time after that. The umpiring of Mr. Richardson was excellent. The score is as follows:

STARS.

	AB	R	BH	TB	PO	A	E
W. Goddu, p	6	2	2	2	0	8	2
N. Goddu, 1b	5	3	2	3	9	0	2
Rust, ss	4	1	2	4	0	2	0
Wheeler, c & r f	6	2	2	2	4	2	3
McKenzie, 2b	4	2	2	3	1	1	0
Symmes, lf	5	1	1	1	0	0	0
Rice, f	5	3	1	2	1	0	0
Flarity, r f & c	5	2	1	1	6	4	2
Rooney, 3b	5	2	1	1	0	0	0
Totals,	44	18	14	19	21	16	9

WOBURN HIGH SCHOOL.

	AB	R	BH	TB	PO	A	E
Kelley, 1b & s s	5	1	1	1	6	2	6
McSweeney, p	5	1	1	1	0	6	4
Conn, 2b	4	1	0	0	1	2	0
Brigham, c f	4	2	1	1	3	0	1
Cotton, 1 f	4	2	1	1	1	0	0
Murdock, 3b	4	1	1	1	0	1	1
Taylor, r f	4	2	1	1	2	0	1
Sherburne, c	4	3	2	4	7	4	2
Bland, s s & 1 f	4	2	1	1	1	1	1
Totals,	38	15	9	11	21	16	16

Innings,	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Stars,	4	2	3	8	1	0	0	0—18
W. H. S.,	0	1	1	3	3	2	5	0—15

Earned Runs—Stars, 7. W. H. S., 3. Base hits—N. Goddu, Rice, Rust, McKenzie and Sherburne, 2. Double Plays—McKenzie and W. Goddu. Struck out—by W. Goddu, 8. By McSweeney, 3. Bases Stolen—Wheeler, Rice, Rust, W. Goddu and N. Goddu, 2. Sherburne, Bland & Cotton. Umpire—Mr. Frank Richardson. Time of game, 2 hours.

BURLINGTON.

Mr. M. H. Nichols of Gloucester paid Burlington a flying visit, last week.

The marriage of Mr. H. H. Nichols and Miss Hannah F. Walker occurred, at the residence of the bride's parents, on Tuesday of last week. They will reside in the new house recently built by Mr. Nichols on Bennett Hill. They have the hearty congratulations of their friends.

On Tuesday evening an interesting praise and prayer meeting was held at the church. Friends from North Woburn were present and joined in the services. Mr. J. S. Hutchinson, Mr. Albert Wood and Mrs. J. Ida Snow gave several instrumental selections for cornet, flute and piano during the praise service.

The warmer weather often has a depressing and debilitating effect. Hood's Sarsaparilla overcomes all languor and lassitude.

North Woburn.

The Minister's Meeting of the Woburn Conference was held here last Tuesday.

J. M. Ellis & Co. are concreting the grounds around the depot here and doing a capital piece of work, as they always do. We think up here that our depot is about as nice as they make anywhere.

A grand concert is to be given here on this, Friday, evening, in the Chapel, under the auspices of the Village Union. It is to be given by Prof. W. M. Skinner, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gifford and Miss Mary Pierce, as vocalists; Miss Amy Ransom, pianist; and Master Carl Merrill, 14 years old, cornetist. The concert will begin at 8 o'clock, and the admittance has been placed at the low price of 25 cents. It will be a very nice one, and people who love first class music will enjoy it.

We intend to print the first instalment of Rev. L. Thompson's "North Woburn in 1820" next week and finish the whole "talk" in four issues of the paper. The people who heard the lectures were very desirous that they should be published in the JOURNAL and at their earnest request Mr. Thompson has prepared them for the printer, but without "any regard to logical or even rhetorical arrangement."

Wilmington.

Mr. Herbert Folkins' house is rapidly assuming shape.

Mr. Lawrence C. Swain has built a commodious slaughter-house and refrigerator near his barn.

Mrs. Hillar's "Burnap house" is fast approaching completion and will be one of the handsomest houses in town when completed.

The cemetary committee have been busy the past week in improving the "old burying ground" as it is called near the Orthodox Church.

We understand the granite quarry in the west part of the town is in successful operation and producing some very excellent granite.

Mr. George E. Carter has just begun the foundation for a new stable in close proximety to his house. Mr. James W. Murray has also begun a new stable.

The Daniel R. Upton place was sold at auction Tuesday afternoon by order of the administratrix and was struck off to Mr. Stilman M. Pratt of Reading for the sum of $3,550.

An unknown man was found Monday afternoon by the side of the road just above Mr. N. B. Eames's house in a fit, he was removed to the town farm where he remained until a physician was called. He came out of the fit and said that his sickness was caused by eating lobster and afterward drinking milk.

There is considerable building going on this spring in town. Mr. Haley is about to build a dairy house, and veterenary dispensary, and billard room, between his house and new barn which will compare favorably with his other buildings. Any one at all interested in nice stock or nice barns for stock can find some as fine stock and accommodations for the same at the "Stanley Farm" as most any where in the county. Mr. Haley has somewhere about thirty head of registered Jerseys of all ages and it is very entertaining to hear him describe them—he has the pedigrees of every animal at his tongue's end and seems to take delight in showing off his stock to all who favor him with a call.

General Order for Memorial Day.

WOBURN, May 24, 1886.

In accordance with the rules and regulations, and pursuant to order from Department Commander, Richard F. Tobin, Monday, May 31, will be observed as Memorial Day.

Members of both Posts will assemble at their respective headquarters at 8 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of decorating the graves of comrades in the different cemeteries.

Comrades G. L. Tibbetts and A. C. Nichols are hereby detailed to decorate the graves of soldiers and sailors in Burlington.

Post 33, with the National Band, will leave their headquarters at 8.30 precisely, taking under escort Post 161, and will march to the Salem street Cemetery, where Memorial Services will be held, and the graves decorated. They will then proceed in barges to Calvary Cemetery, Montvale, where the usual ceremonies will take place, the graves of comrades decorated.

The Posts will reassemble at 1.30 P. M., Post 33 again taking Post 161 under escort, will march to the Soldiers' Monument on the Common, where prayer will be offered; thence to Lyceum Hall, where the following programme will be carried out:—

1. Selection, National Band.
2. G. A. R. Ritual Services, Conducted by Post 33.
3. Singing, Lotus Glee Club.
4. Invocation, Rev. D. D. Winn.
5. Singing, Lotus Glee Club.
6. Address, Commander Post 33.
7. Singing, Lotus Glee Club.
8. Oration, Comrade B. F. Whittemore.
9. Singing, "America," Led by Band, audience joining.
10. Benediction, Rev. D. D. Winn.

WILLIAM P. WARREN, Commander Post 33.
MILTON MOORE, Commander Post 161, Committee.

Post 33 will partake of its annual dinner to be served by the Ladies' Relief Corps in G. A. R. Hall, which children of soldiers and sailors will attend and invited guests. This, with the after dinner services, will constitute a pleasing feature of the Memorial Day exercises.

Do not forget that changing seed is often attended with excellent results.

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SPECIAL BARGAINS THIS WEEK.

Ladies' Summer Merinos for 15 cents. Kid Gloves for 25 cents. Extra bargains in Kids at $1.00 and $1.25. Gent's Laundered and Unlaundered Shirts, special bargains. Biggest Bargains seen in 25 cent Towels. Bed Quilts at $1.00 and upwards, they are beauties. Beautiful line of New Dress Goods. Don't fail to see them.

No. Woburn Street Railway.

The amended charter of the No. Woburn Street Railway passed safely through the Legislature, has been approved by the Governor, and a copy of it is in the hands of the officers of the Company. It grants the Company the right to run their line through the town of Woburn, into and through the town of Winchester, and also power to increase their capital stock to $100,000.

The Company have made application in due form to the town authorities of Woburn and Winchester for permit to put down tracks, which of course will be granted without opposition. The necessary preliminaries having been duly settled we may confidently look for a change and extension of the line that will be alike highly beneficial to the towns of Woburn and Winchester and the stockholders.

The route for tracks from No. Woburn to Winchester has been laid out and the hearing for permit has been set by the Selectmen for June 12. On June 22 two open cars will be put on the line, and two weeks later, two box cars, the four now being built in New York.

Stetson's Shoe Store.

To our readers who buy their foot wear in Boston, we would recommend the Shoe Store of Mr. Stetson as a most excellent place to buy all kinds of Boots or Shoes of a perfectly reliable quality, at prices that cannot fail to be satisfactory. Any lady or gentlemen for from 2 to 3 dollars a pair can purchase from Mr. Stetson a boot or shoe that will give complete wear in every respect. His stock is large and well adapted to suit those who want a good article at a medium price. Stetson's Old Established Stand, 158 Hanover Street, right off the corner of Blackstone.

The public is always surprised when a sick man dies without seeing a doctor, and yet such natural deaths are quite possible.

Mrs. Henderson, New York City, writes: "I had not slept for forty-eight hours; was coughing all the time. My brother bought a 10-cent bottle of Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam, the first dose broke the cough, and I was better at once. After using one 75-cent bottle I was cured. I have no hesitation in recommending it.

An Irishman says the difference between St. Peter and Powderly is that "one has charge of the kays of heaven and the other of the K. of L."

Japanese Letters.

Boston Globe: "A reader of the *Globe* named Talbot sent me a box of 'Hak-ka' for Hay Fever. I have had seven years of sneezing, coughing, swearing, and this August it begun more virulent than ever. I used Talbot's 'Hak-ka' three times, and although the fever was at the high tide of successful demoralization, I haven't sneezed but twice since, and that was two days ago. I don't know Talbot, I never saw Talbot; but he ought to become a millionaire in one season." HOWARD.

ハクカ HAK-KA CREAM is equally effective for cure in Colds in the Head, Catarrh, etc. Hak-ka is pronounced *Hark-ka*.

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THE WOBURN
Skating Academy,
Montvale Avenue.

Friday evening, May 28. Polo. Woburns vs. Walthams.

WALTHAMS.		WOBURN.
Cotter,	1st rush.	Pierce,
Seeley,	2d rush.	Flanders,
Turnbull,	Centre.	Weafer,
Smith,	Half-back.	McKay,
Guthrie,	Cover-point.	Bolan,
Hayes.	Goal.	McCarthy.

Purse of $100. Best 2 in 3 games.

General Skating before the game. Game called at 9.

Wednesday, June 2. ASSEMBLY.

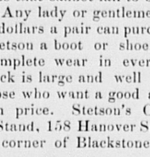
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May 25.

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THE BEST

boon ever bestowed upon man is perfect health, and the true way to insure health is to purify your blood with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Mrs. Eliza A. Clough, 34 Arlington st., Lowell, Mass., writes: "Every winter and spring my family, including myself, use several bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Experience has convinced me that, as a powerful

Blood

purifier, it is very much superior to any other preparation of Sarsaparilla. All persons of scrofulous or consumptive tendencies, and especially delicate children, are sure to be greatly benefited by its use." J. W. Starr, Laconia, Iowa, writes: "For years I was troubled with Scrofulous complaints. I tried several different preparations, which did me little, if any, good. Two bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla effected a complete cure. It is my opinion that this medicine is the best blood

Purifier

of the day." C. E. Upton, Nashua, N. H., writes: "For a number of years I was troubled with a humor in my eyes, and unable to obtain relief until I commenced using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I have taken several bottles, am greatly benefited, and believe it to be the best of blood purifiers." R. Harris, Creel City, Ramsey Co., Dakota, writes: "I have been an intense sufferer, with Dyspepsia, for the past three years. Six months ago I began to use

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MRS. B. A. STEARNS

Wishes to inform the public that she will commence business at her store

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On Tuesday, June 1, 1886.

Ladies' and Children's garments cut and basted, and patterns of every description cut to order. Her improved (1885) "Taylor Method" system of dress-cutting taught, including designing and draping. Will keep for sale "Adjustable" Skirt-form, Dress-platers, and Tracing Wheels. Have also the agency for the "Standard" Sewing Machine, on entirely new principles. Those wishing a first-class machine will please call and examine.

Y. M. C. A.

The LADIES' AUXILIARY to the Y. M. C. A. will hold a

Strawberry Festival

In the Y. M. C. A. Rooms,

Monday Evening, May 31, 1886.

There will be Strawberries, Ice Cream and Cake for sale.

ADMISSION, 10 CTS.

J. M. ELLIS & CO.,

Stone Masons and Contractors,

190 1-2 Main St., Woburn, Mass.

ROOFING and CONCRETING done to order. DERRICKS to let and for sale.

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An apprentice girl to learn dress-cutting. None but good sewers need apply. Mrs. B. A. STEARNS, cor. Pleasant and No. Warren streets.

TOWN WARRANT.

Town of Woburn.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Woburn, in said County. GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Woburn, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet at Lyceum Hall, in said Woburn, on TUESDAY, the eighth day of June, A. D. 1886, at seven and a half of the clock, P. M., to hearand act on the following articles, viz:

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To see if the Town will ratify and confirm, as its own act and deed, the conveyance made by James N. Dow, Treasurer, to John A. Weldon, of a certain parcel of land on High street, which conveyance is dated December 17, 1883, and recorded with Middlesex (So. Dist.) Deeds, Book 1662, Page 378, and will authorize a release to said John A. Weldon of any right, title or interest which the Town now has in and to the premises described in said conveyance.

ART. 3. To hear and act on the report of the Committee appointed at the last annual Town Meeting to revise the Town By-Laws, and to take such further action as may be deemed necessary for the revision of said By-Laws.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will give a confirmatory deed to the North Woburn Street Railroad Company of a certain piece of land on Main street, in North Woburn, sold by the town to said company, Sept. 17, 1873.

ART. 5. To hear and act upon the report of Selectmen and School Committee, appointed at the last annual town meeting, to investigate and report on town property situate on Common street, being subject matter of Article 16 of Warrant for annual meeting.

ART. 6. To see if the Town will direct that the tree, now standing at the intersection of Main and Pleasant streets, near northeast corner of the Common, be removed, or do anything in relation to the same.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by causing an attested copy of the same to be posted up at each of the Government Post Offices in town, and published in the Woburn *Advertiser* and WOBURN JOURNAL, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and the seal of the Town affixed, this 25th day of May, A. D. 1886.

LAWRENCE READE,
WILLIAM C. KENNEY,
WILLIAM JOHNSON,
JOHN FERGUSON,
CHARLES A. McDONALD,
JOHN A. DOHERTY,
MICHAEL GOLDEN,
WILLIAM BEGGS,
THOMAS H. HILL,
Selectmen of Woburn.

A true copy: Attest,
CHARLES K. CONN, *Constable of Woburn.*

TOWN OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.

WOBURN, May 27, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JOHN C. MEEHAN has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at store in Miller building, so-called, on westerly side of Prospect street, in said Woburn, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded northerly by land of Catherine Gately; southerly by land of heirs of Ann Salmon; easterly by land of Theophilus King, Jr., and westerly by said Prospect street.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.

WOBURN, May 25, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that CHARLES S. GOVE and ALEXANDER P. KELLY, doing business as Charles S. Gove & Co., have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class, in the front room located in the northeasterly corner, on the first floor, of the building situated on the westerly side of Main street, in said Woburn, known as the "Central House," and stock in the cellar of said building.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

TOWN OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
No. 173 MAIN STREET.

WOBURN, MASS., May 25, 1886.

The North Woburn Street Railroad Company having applied for location for additional tracks in the Town of Woburn, on Main, Pleasant, Common, Burlington, Bedford and Willow streets, notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be given on this office, on **Saturday, June 12, 1886, at 4 o'clock, P. M.,** as required by Public Statutes.

By order of Board of Selectmen,
THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

Street Railroad Hearing.

To the Honorable Selectmen of Winchester.

GENTLEMEN:—The North Woburn Street Railway Company having obtained an amendment to its Charter, whereby it is now authorized to extend its tracks throughout the whole of the Town of Woburn and into and throughout the Town of Winchester, hereby petition your honorable Board that you will grant to the said Company the right to lay its tracks, with suitable curves, turnouts and switches in the Town of Winchester, as follows:

From the division line between the town of Woburn and Winchester on Main street to and crossing the tracks of the Boston & Lowell R. R. Corporation and continuing on said Main street to the junction of Main and Grove streets, thence by the said Grove street to the division line between the towns of Winchester and Medford.

Respectfully submitted,
NORTH WOBURN STREET R. R. Co.
By Frank H. Monk, Treas.

On the foregoing petition, it is ordered that a hearing be given all parties interested at the Selectmen's Room in Winchester, on Saturday, June 12th, 1886, at 3 o'clock, P. M.

ALBERT AYER,
D. O. BLANCHARD,
S. W. TWOMBLY,
Selectmen of Winchester.

Winchester, May 24, 1886.

PRIOR & MANN,

Are giving excellent bargains this week from their large stock of

BOOTS & SHOES.

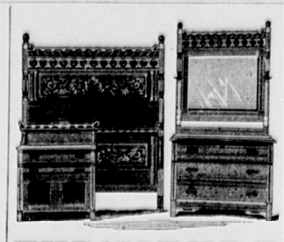
Their **$2.00 Goods** are giving good satisfaction and are genuine bargains.

197 MAIN STREET,

2d door above P. O.

TO LET.

3 NEW HOUSES: 8 Rooms each: pleasantly located on Chestnut street: Rent reasonable: Inquire of JAMES SKINNER, of James Skinner & Co.



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We have a very large and varied assortment of **Furniture,** in fine and medium grades, all in the newest and most desirable styles, consisting of **Chamber, Parlor, Library** and **Dining-Room Suits** in **Mahogany, Cherry, Black Walnut, Ash** and **Oak.**

Bedding and **Spring Mattresses** of every description.

Parlor Suits upholstered in Plain and Embossed Mohair, Sultan and Silk Plushes.

Odd Desks, Tables, Bookcases, Chairs, Etc.

Brussels, Tapestry and Woollen Carpets, Rugs, Mats and well-seasoned Oil Cloth.

Many of these goods are manufactured under our personal supervision, and made throughout in best workmanlike manner, and guaranteed—and as we propose to sell them less than ever before for the same quality of work, we cordialy invite you to look at our stock, and get our prices before purchasing. **Send for our new Price List.**

CARPETS.

Collector's Office,

172 MAIN STREET.

TAXES 1885.

Notice is hereby given, that sales of Real Estate on which taxes of 1885 remain unpaid will positively commence JUNE 1, 1886.

Warrants for the collection of Taxes on Polls and Personal Estate for year 1885 are being prepared and placed in an officer's hands for service.

It is the intention of the undersigned to collect the Taxes of 1885 before the Taxes for 1886 are committed to him by the Assessors. INCREASED COSTS will follow in all cases where warrants issue or sales are commenced.

JOHN G. MAGUIRE,
Collector of Taxes 1885.

Woburn, May 17, 1886.

BARGAINS IN

Boots and Shoes

THIS WEEK AT

WOBURN SHOE STORE,

197 Main Street,

2d door above P. O. Fine line of A. F. Smith's Kid Button Boots.

PRIOR & MANN.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Lucretia W. Kendall, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Lewis L. Whitney, the executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Legatees, Devisees and others interested in the estate of Joshua Seward, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, testate,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, John W. Johnson, Administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell the whole of the second parcel of the real estate of said deceased described in said petition, being the farm in Woburn, for the payment of debts, legacies and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

23-3 S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Baby Carriages.
Baby Carriages.
FURNITURE.
FURNITURE.

—CHEAP AT—

Woburn Bargain Store,

Either for Cash or on Instalments.

E. PRIOR, Proprietor.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

The firm of Emerson & Goddard, Insurance Agents is dissolved. Mr. Emerson retires on account of failing health.

EMERSON & GODDARD.

The Insurance business formerly conducted by Emerson & Goddard will be continued by S. B. Goddard, representing the same first-class companies and who solicits a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed upon the old firm, which he hopes to merit by prompt attention to the interests of his patrons.

Very respectfully,
S. B. GODDARD.

Woburn, May 15, 1886.

ROOMS TO LET IN WOBURN.

A good front room, on leading thoroughfare, near stores and depot. Excellent location for dressmaker.

Address "ROOMS," Box 167,
Boston, Mass.

FOR SALE.

The first-class, 2½ story French roof Dwelling-house, barn, &c., with over 12,000 feet of land, on Salem near Main street, Woburn. It will be sold at a GREAT SACRIFICE to close.

Apply to G. A. BEAN,
Real Estate Agent.

Woburn, May 18, 1886.

STRAW MATTINGS

At 17c., 25c., 37c., 42c. Special prices given by the roll.

OIL CLOTHS

At 25c., 30c., 42c., 50c. Yard wide.

Our 40-inch Unbleached Cotton

IS A BARGAIN.

Bargains in Cotton Underwear!

Corset Covers 13 cents. Corset Covers 25 cents. White Skirts 50 cents. White Skirts, Hamburg Trimmed, 75 cents. Night Robes 50 cents. Night Robes 75 cents. Ladies' Drawers, Hamburg Trimmed, 25 cents.

C. A. SMITH & SON,

175 & 177 Main Street, Woburn, Mass

SPECTACLES & EYE-GLASSES!

25 CENTS AND UPWARDS.

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—OF—

Spring Goods: Latest Styles, and Closing-out of Winter Goods,

AT LOWEST PRICES.

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HORACE N. CONN,

Insurance Agent and Broker,

159 Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

Tenney's MAGIC GLYCERINE SOAP. TRADE MARK REGISTERED. WASHING MADE EASY WITHOUT BOILING.

Has been sold in Woburn and vicinity for the PAST FOUR YEARS with the best results. Hundreds of people will testify as to its merits above any other soap in the market for PURITY of material and ECONOMY. Flannels, Laces and delicate fabrics can be washed to look as well as new. It is a PURE WHITE soap, and excellent for the bath. Please remember the M. G. is equally good either in boiling, or without.

Put up in neat packages of TWELVE BARS FOR $1.00. Please try and satisfy yourself as to its merits.

All orders by Mail promptly attended to.

S. R. FRENCH, - Agent,

North Woburn, Mass.

Also agent for Imported Olive Oil and the Medicated White Hazel Soaps.

Curriers' Soaps a specialty.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Julia A. Sawyer late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to George E. Fowle of Woburn;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed, given by Samuel Button of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Leonard Thompson (senior), dated June 20, A. D. 1878, and recorded with Middlesex (So. Dist.) Deeds, Book 1479, Page 558, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Saturday, the twelfth day of June, 1886, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, and therein described as follows, namely:—A certain lot of land containing one-fourth acre, more or less, with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situate about one-third of a mile from the Common in said Woburn, in a southeast direction therefrom, and is bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly, by Prospect street, about sixty feet; northerly, on land of Felix Riley, one hundred and twenty feet; westerly by a ditch, on one Housten's land, sixty feet, and southerly, on land of J. E. Littlefield, one hundred and twenty feet. Terms at sale.

LEONARD THOMPSON, Assignee
and present holder of said Mortgage.

J. W. JOHNSON, Attorney.
Woburn, May 18, 1886.

Ice Chests

—AND—

REFRIGERATORS

Of the best manufacture at lowest prices for cash or on instalments.

Woburn Bargain Store,

E. PRIOR, Proprietor.

ADAMSON'S BOTANIC COUGH BALSAM. A.B.C.B.

There is no need of tearing your lungs to pieces coughing, when a few drops of Adamson's Cough Balsam will relieve you. We have tried it and have found nothing like it.

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Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam is constantly gaining favor as a speedy relief and permanent cure for coughs, colds and kindred diseases. A. H. LEWIS, East Boston.

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N. Y. Christian Advocate.

One of the most efficacious of cures for coughs, colds and consumption is Adamson's Botanic Balsam. Several parties with whom we are acquainted, among them employes of our own office, have used it with exceedingly beneficial results.—*Boston Pilot.*

"My Husband had a cold on his lungs and after using Adamson's Balsam he was relieved and finally cured. No one should be without it, for its curative properties are certainly wonderful." MRS. H. C. SOMERS, Hotel Effingham, 1435 Broadway, New York.

I regard Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam the best in use.

W. W. PERRY, Camden, Me.

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Beware of Imitations! See that the name of F. W. KINSMAN is blown in the glass of the bottle. F. W. KINSMAN & CO., Druggists, Proprietors, 343 4th AV., N.Y. Price, 10c., 35c., 75c.



PURE

MILK.

I am engaged in sale and delivery of **PURE MILK** to the people of Woburn from my farm on Cambridge street, and respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.

Orders left at Buckman & White's Grocery Store, 209 Main Street, will be promptly attended to.

P. G. HANSON,

Woburn, Jan. 18, 1886.

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Window Shades, Moldings, &c.

Large assortment Latest Designs now ready for Spring trade. Call and examine.

Send for Sample of Papers.

Also, Plain and Decorative Painting, Paper Hanging, &c. Ceilings Papered in the latest Styles.

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More than 40,000 of these popular instruments, now in use in the various parts of the country, have fully established their reputation.

A First-Class Piano at a Medium Price.

Send for catal

Woman's Column.

What German Women are Doing.

The leaders of the woman movement in America will have to look to their laurels if they would not see them gathered and worn by the working women of Germany. About two years ago a movement for their enfranchisement from social, legal, moral and industrial disabilities began in the formation of Sick and Burial Benefit Societies for women and girls. They have now arrived at the point of setting up an organ of their own, Die Staatsburgerin, (The Woman Citizen,) which, as its initial number shows, stands upon a higher plane and exhibits a breadth of view and a loftiness of purpose not yet found in woman's journals in this or any other country. That such a departure should be made from such a point is more than surprising. German women are not as a rule, given to deep thought. In this they differ essentially from Russian and French women. Accomplished, those of the better classes are in a true sense; the higher principles of music and art are familiar to them as household words. They are at home in many languages and well versed in the polite literature of many lands. They converse charmingly and write elegantly; but *thoughtful* they are not, nor are expected to be. To be a "stille fromme hausfrau," (a placid, devoted housewife,) is the ideal held up to all well-trained German girls, be they gentle or simple. To look well to the ways of her household, to guide her children discretly, to entertain pleasantly and if of superior position, to dispense arms and hospital visits, comprise the whole duty of woman. A glance at German periodical literature intended for the family, is enough to show this. The Staatsburgerin says truly, "Hitherto the German Press has limited itself almost exclusively, so far as women are concerned, to its information concerning the fashion and the cook-stove; and it is as a decidedly unique enterprise that the new woman's journal proposes to bring to the working woman what she should and must know."

It is interesting to inquire what are the things which at this early stage of the woman movement, it is deemed essential for the German working woman to know. The list at once raises our estimate of the consideration in which women should be held; "the care of the health, the education of children, science, statistics, economic, questions, rates of wages and the laws bearing on women," are subjects to be treated. The new journal proposes by no means to put women on a plane of equality with men, but to put all women, working women included, upon a plane on which life is worth living, whether that plane has been attained by men of their class, or not." Their first effort must be to secure fair wages and a removal of the legal restrictions which bear upon their choice of occupation. How far this effort is needed is shown by the statement that the average earnings of hand-working women is from five to eight marks, ($1.25 to $2.00). per week. The second and ultimate end is to be secured chiefly by promoting a sense of solidarity among German women. "If working women will stand shoulder to shoulder, in good days as well as bad ones, the better placed ones, married, or single, self-supporting or not, joining hands with those worse off," this end will at last be attained.

The sense of solidarity must already be strong among German women, for within a little more than a year after the movement first arose, (May 1885,) these societies numbered some 13,700 members in 104 branches, united under one general supervising committee. In comparison with such showing as this the effect of forty years of effort among American women, seems poor indeed.

It is a singular fact that the first daily newspaper in the English language was founded by a woman, Elizabeth Mallet, of London. It was called the "Daily Courant" and appeared March 1702, during the reign of Queen Anne. It was not devoted to woman's rights, or wrongs, but was as much for man's relief as anybody's, for it was printed as its frank and fair proprietor stated "to spare the public at least half the impertinences which the ordinary papers contain."

A young Spanish Girl has been decorated with the Order of Merit and endowed with a handsome sum of money sent from England, for her devotion to her family during the cholera scourage at Madrid.

Loquacity has been regarded as the special vice of women, but it is rarely that women themselves confess their addiction to the habit. A society of ladies recently organized in a town in Connecticut seem to be willing to admit the impeachment. They call themselves "The Tongue Guard," and each member pledges herself to pay a small sum into the treasury every time she says anything against another person.

The will of Kate Rowsand, the little dwarf known all over Europe as "Madame la Marquise," contains a novel feature. After she had disposed of all her property, there remained her wardrobe. "Well," she said, "my dresses and linen and everything I wore must be far too small for the littlest child; but in order that some poor little girl may be happy, I desire that the sum of ten pounds sterling may be applied to the purchase of twenty dolls of my size, which shall all be dressed from my wardrobe and given to orphans."

The female shoe-stitchers of Lynn have formed a union, the membership of which is 2,000.

Another gain for woman suffrage has been made in the Canadian Province of New Brunswick, which follows Ontario and Nova Scotia in extending municipal suffrage to women. The law, however, only applies to unmarried women. When Massachusetts and New York catch up with the times, they must do a little better as an offset for delay, and allow married women to vote just as married men do.

Bankers,

Doctors, Lawyers, Carpenters, Druggists, Engineers, Mechanics, in fact we have recommendations from people in all stations in life, testifying to the wonderful cures that Sulphur Bitters have effected. Send for testimonials. See another column.

Fashion Notes.

Very small rosary bead buttons are used to trim and edge jackets that are fastened with big flat or medium-sized ball buttons.

Lace zephyrs have plush stripes in groups of three, and are made up over self colors corresponding to the ground of the stripes.

Grenadines and etamines are combined with plain silks, and velvets, ottomans and brocades are uses in conjunction with laces of all kinds in creating the new opera wraps.

Heliotrope is a favorite color or shade—in silk fabrics, however, for in woolen it looks dull and faded. Indian silks are very cool and pleasant to wear in summer, and are not very expensive.

The newest English jackets for young girls are of corded, brocaded or elastic cord. They are closely fitting at the back, with loose fronts, sometimes fastened diagonally. They have numbers of pockets and have large wooden buttons.

French modistes are reversing the order of things and are making dark over-dresses with light skirts.

Pocket handkerchiefs are now made with very narrow hems, edged with a border of Valenciennes lace.

Norfolk jackets of Jersey cloth in blue, scarlet, black, ecru, tan or white are worn with skirts of all colors.

Cowslips and buttercups are to the front in general favor, and with the inclination to black will prove an effective addition.

Very Remarkable Recovery.

Mr. Geo. V. Willing, of Manchester, Mich., writes: "My wife has been almost helpless for five years, so helpless that she could not turn over in bed alone. She used two Bottles of Electric Bitters, and is so much improved, that she is able now to do her own work." Electric Bitters will do all that is claimed for them. Hundreds of testimonials attest their great curative powers. Only fifty cents a bottle at Wm. W. Hill's.

Hybrid perpetual roses should be well pruned back, and old or weak shoots should be cut out entirely. The strong shoots should not be left longer than three or four buds or joints from the base.

Billiousness

Is very prevalent at this season, the symptoms being bitter taste, offensive breath, coated tongue, sick headache, drowsiness, dizziness, loss of appetite. If this condition is allowed to continue, serious consequences may result. By promptly taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, a fever may be avoided or premature death prevented. It is a positive cure for billiousness. Sold by all druggists.

Some improvement should be made in the ox yoke commonly used. It should fit the neck, or else when the ox is drawing the load much inconvenience may be the result, the windpipe being at times partly closed and the inner part of the neck galled.

Almost Killed.

I was almost killed by the doctors, who treated me for bleeding piles. It cost me over $100 without relief. I took Sulphur Bitters for two months, and now I am well. —*Gus Hall, Troy, N. Y.*

Evasions are the common shelter of the hard-hearted, the false, and the impatient, when called upon to assist; the really great alone plan instantaneous help even when their looks or words presage difficultues.

A life of indolent ease and sensuality, the use of highly seasoned animal food, alcoholic drinks are the predisposing causes of Gout. When aware of its presence in the system lose no time in procuring Salvation Oil. It kills pain. Price 25 cents a bottle.

The natural life of the sheep is shorter than that of any other domestic animal. Five or six years is the limit of their practical usefulness, though valuable breeding ewes may be kept one or two years longer.

The Governor of Missouri has become jealous of the flattering attention given to the outlaws; but he still continues to recommend to all of his constituents the famous Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup for coughs and colds.

The innate modesty of newspaper men is shown by the fact that a Texas aditor killed three men the other day, and in alluding to the incident afterward acknowledged that he only tried to kill one.

Baldness may be avoided by the use of Hall's Hair Renewer, which prevents the falling out of the hair, and stimulates it to renewed growth and luxuriance. It restores jaded or gray hair to its original dark color, and cures nearly every disease of the scalp.

An exchange contains an article headed: "How a Journalist Outwitted a Queen." The journalist, we suspect, swung the kied. We have seen it done frequently.

Adolf Lalloz, carriage manufacturer, 119 Carroll street, Buffalo, N. Y., states: "I was troubled with nausea of the stomach, sick headache and general debility. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me."

Submission is the only reasoning between a creature and its maker, and its maker, and contentment in his will is the best remedy we can apply to our misfortunes.

For earache, Toothache, Sore Throat, Swelled Neck, and the results of cold and inflamation, use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—the great pain destroyer.

Early gardening lengthens the growing season, and permits, at times, of two crops on the same land, as turnips may follow peas, and time is thereby gained for putting in late crops.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla has such concentrated, curative power, that it is by far the best, cheapest, and surest blood purifier known.

When our pride, our avarice, our interests, our desire to domineer, are worked upon, are not forever pestering heaven to decide in their favor?

"A most extraodinary and absolute cure for rheumatism and other bodily ailments is St. Jacob's Oil," says Hon. James Harlan, ex-Vice-Chancellor, Louisville, Ky.

An eight-page paper—*Among the Clouds*—is printed on the summit of Mount Washington. The editor is a far-seeing man, and his views are of the loftiest kind.

OPPORTUNITY.

As rhythm in music rules, with measured round,
And marks the where and when of every sound,
The law of opportunity controls
The conscious motions of all living souls.
All things have method; some decisive force,
Alike in centric or eccentric course,
Commands events and deeds, that every one
Has its own time to happen, or be done,
And veriest accidents that hope forestall,
Follow some secret programme as they fall.

—"T. B." in Youth's Companion.

TRANS-ATLANTIC STEAM VESSELS.

The Rules for Naming Observed by Different Lines—Various Tastes.

There are now about 130 steam vessels in the trans-Atlantic service, most of which are rapid sailors, and the Oregon was one of the most recent construction. Her name shows that she was not a born Cunarder, and this leads to a brief reference to the rules observed by different lines. The Guion ships, for instance, are named after states and territories in the north-west including Wisconsin, Nevada, Arizona, Alaska and Oregon. The last mentioned vessel whose sad fate awakens so much notice, was purchased by the Cunard company from the Guion. The White Star line prefers names ending in "ic," as the Germanic, the Celtic, the Britannic.

The Cunard company selects names ending in "ia," such as the Scythia, the Persia, the Servia and the Aurania, and the Anchor line pursues the same practice. The National line very properly uses the names of nations, such as Greece, Spain, Egypt, while the Inman line honors various distinguished cities, such as Chicago and Berlin. The State line goes for states, and names its ships Pennsylvania, Nebraska, etc.; but the Hamburg line dips into the record of the authors, calls its vessels the Wieland, the Gellurt and the Lessing, with other distinguished names.

The French, on the other hand love wines more than books and hence the Bordeaux line names its vessels after the best brands, such as Chateau, Margeau, Leon Ville and Chateau Lantte. The Bremen and Hull vessels are named after birds, and the Brazil line selects names ending in "ance," such as the Finance, the Advance, the Reliance. The Monarch line, on the other hand, deals in monarchs, and its list comprises the Assyrian Monarch, the Lydian Monarch, the Grecian Monarch, etc. In this manner a remarkable degree of uniformity is preserved in the midst of a wide variety of taste.—New York Cor. Cincinnati Enquirer.

Honduras' Indolent and Happy People.

The people of Central America have been described by travelers as indolent, improvident races, who are content to gather a few plantains and bananas from their little fields in the valleys; to clear a little patch on the mountain-side, stick a few grains of corn into the unplowed ground therein, and when nature, unaided, has provided a crop, to cut the stalks to feed to mules, or gather the ears for making tortillas. Enough tobacco and cane are grown to provide cigarettes and sweets for the family. Why should they not be indolent and happy, since no reward is offered for industry, and no necessity exists for providing against hunger or cold in a climate so deliciously equable and mild as this?

In many generations weather as cold as has been felt here this winter has been absolutely unknown to Honduras, yet the mercury went no lower than 45 degrees above zero. If people remote from the larger towns and principal towns were to produce more corn, or sugar, or tobacco, or beef, or fruit than would supply their wants, what good would they gain? The weevil would devour their grain, the dulse would accumulate on their hands, their fruit rot on the ground, and they would be bettered not one whit, for they could not take these things to market profitably.—Cor Chicago Times.

The Popularity of Fencing.

Though the utility of small arms is a thing of the chivalric past, and though duelling has become too expensive a luxury to be frequently indulged in, reputable and competent fencing masters are insured comfortable incomes in every civilized country of the globe, and excepting very rare instances, their pupils are gentlemen and ladies only, persons of intellectual habits and refined tastes. In the older countries, particularly in French, every genleman has a more or less perfect command of the foil, and fencing clubs and schools are popular resorts for gentlemen of all grades of weath and position.—Chicago Herald.

How Coats-of-Arms Came into Use.

During the crusades in the twelfth century the custom of using coats-of-arms was first introduced in Europe. The knights dressed up in armor had no way to make themselves known and distinguished in battle but by the devices on their shields, and these were gradually ally adopted by their posterity and families, who were proud of the pious military enterprises of their ancestors. The custom is now rapidly spreading among the wealthy of America.—Exchange.

Lens for the Lick Telescope.

Alvan Clark, the famous lensmaker of Cambridgeport, says that the lens for the great Lick telescope will soon be ready. The "finishing touches" alone remain to be performed in order to make the refraction perfect. These are done with the end of the finger dipped in emery. The ability to do this depends on the sense of touch.—Exchange.

Popular Novels in New York City.

The most popular novels in a large circulating library in New York city are "Monte Cristo," "Uncle Tom's Cabin," "David Copperfield." "The Old Curiosity Shop" and "Oliver Twist."

The spindle power at Oldham, England, now represents 11,000,000 spindles. It is the great yarn center of the world.

"Trouble," says one of the ancient philosophers, "is immersion in littlenesses."

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria,

The problem of farming consists in making the soil increasingly fertile. Manure is the farmers savings' bank, and if more of them would have large heaps of it every spring to spread upon their lands instead of money at interest, they would prosper in the end.

My liver was so fearfully disordered and I felt so feeble and languid that I scarcely took interest in anything. Tried all the so-called remedies without relief until I used Parker's Tonic, which effected a permanent cure.—David Bash, Little Rock, Ark.

When a compositor wants pie he goes to the devil for it.

Lincoln's Contempt for Conventionalities.

Mr. Lamon describes Mr. Lincoln as pre-eminent in moral courage, eloquent in speech and possessed of great common sense. With him there was method in every move. He never trifled. He was charged with overmuch seriousness and melancholy, which was often misconstrued for discouragement. He never told an anecdote that did not point to a moral. This character often subjected him to adverse criticism among the ultra fashionables, especially when this class was made the object of his satire. It was said of him that he lacked veneration amounting almost to moral obliquity. He stooped to no vindication in life, leaving that for history. Mr. Lincoln was epigrammatic in elucidating his ideas, indulged in no studied phrases, was no fumbler of works.

It will be acknowledged that Mr. Lincoln lacked dignity in outward appearance. He fully realized that he was formed by nature all right, but was not moulded by art. In speaking of his lack of polish he said: "I guess I will leave the fancy work to others and will browse around the utility department as best I can." Mr. Lincoln, however, showed that he was master of a forcible nondescript sort of dignity never before recognized by orthodox diplomats. No American at any period in our history could write a paper of public import with more impressive seriousness, circumspection and grave dignity. He was ever genial, tender and social, never bewailing his hardships or exulting in his triumphs. His great ambition was to leave the world better than he found it.—New York World.

The Capacity for Steady Thinking.

I have asked—and it is a good test—can you, on a long railway journey, think out a problem on a great social subject? Will you begin to think out that problem when you have before you two hours in a railway carriage? This is simply a form of mental indolence; they can not concentrate themselves and bring their thoughts sufficiently together to do spontaneous work. It partly comes from this, again, that they will not give themselves time; from that they get out of the habit of steady thought, and they will not dwell long upon one subject. Both in reading and in thinking you never get far unless you will have a long consecutive tete-a-tete with your book or with your problem.

People read and think in the same way that they visit their acquaintances and friends. They have an exciting conversation for a few minutes, and then the visit is over. If you wish to see a landscape or explore a character you must take time, and it must be done by steady, consistent and continuous thought. I bespeak, therefore, for reading and for thinking greater deliberation, more careful choice of material, more consecutiveness and continuity and above all, that it should never become necessary to hurry through anything, whether it be lecture, or book, or problem.—Mr. Goschen's Lecture.

Chicago's Board of Trade Clock.

The works of the immense clock which has been put up in the board of trade building in Chicago are pronounced a most perfect reproduction of those of the great Westminister palace clock in London, but with some additions and improvements adapted to its commercial purpose. It is constructed of iron, bronze, and steel, and weighs ten tons without the bell, the latter adding some 4,500 pounds more. The pendulum alone weighs 750 pounds.

In its arrangement the works are divided into a time train, a hand train, and a striking train, these several trains comprising separate machines, resting side by side, on separate frames. Each of the trains is operated by a separate weight, and the three weights together reach some 3,500 pounds. The hammer that strikes the bell weighs eighty pounds, the clock work is below the dials, which are ten feet ten inches in diameter, and the bell is above them, or 250 feet above the ground. The pendulum swings one way in two seconds.—New York Sun.

Degrees of Skill in Labor.

There is a very common but mistaken impression abroad that there are no degrees of skill in what is called ordinary labor. A single illustration will show the magnitude of this error. Take the simple operation of handling a rock-drill, for instance. One man will drill holes true and parallel, while another, though he may be quite as industrious and well meaning, will do precisely the opposite. The result is that the former uses less powder for the blast, and the rock comes out in shapely masses fit to be made into dimension stone worth a good price, while the product of the latter is only serviceable for rubble work and not worth as much by many times its cost. Yet both the men rank as laborers.—W. H. Swift in Globe-Democrat.

Great Rainfall in New England.

The great rainfall in New England in February is declared by meteorologists who have studied it to have been unprecedented since records began to be kept. The total amount of water which fell from the clouds, chiefly during twenty-four hours, is computed to have amounted to 750,000,000,000 gallons. The fall was greatest between New London and Providence.—New York Sun.

The Mexicans' Passion for Mirrors.

Mexican have a passion for mirrors, and a traveler says that the interior of some of the houses look like steamboat cabins. He remarks also that mirrors are among the commonest articles in the pawnshops there.—Exchange.

Hair Grease for Ancient Romans.

The ladies and young men of fashion of ancient Rome used a ball of German pomade to tinge the hair of a light or fair color. It was composed of goat's tallow and beechwood ashes, and made up into a ball.—Exchange.

The Early Life of Gold-Fish.

Dr. Bessels, who is in charge of the government carp ponds, says that only about 200 out of every 1,000 gold-fish spawned pass through the early stages of gold-fish life.—Inter Ocean.

The Population of Woburn

Is about 12,000, and we would say at least one half are troubled with some affection of Throat and Lungs, as those complaints are according to statistics more numerous than others. We would advise all not to neglect the opportunity to call on us and get a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Price 50 cents and $1. Trial size free. Respectfully, Chas. H. Buss, Druggist.

No less than a year's subscription awaits the man at this office who will invent a style of saw that won't make eight times as much noise while being used to carve up a little wood for breakfast Sunday morning as it does any other morning.

Pearline. With this article the family washing can be done with ease, with economy and dispatch, and as it is thoroughly disinfectant, it will be seen that whenever used the result is pure and healthful. As there are imitations of this in the market, be sure and get the genuine, manufactured only by JAMES PYLE, New York.

Charms of Early German Poetry.

The old Aryas has medicinal charms for ruling the power of nature, love songs, songs celebrating heroes, choral hymns and ceremonial music and dancing. The oldest German lines of poetry are alliterative. All solemn legal proceedings were accompanied by poetry. Oaths were sworn and sentence of banishment pronounced in alliterative verse. The early alliteration remains to this day in such expressions as house and home, spick and span, weal and woe, stock and stone, kith and kin, bed and board, wind and weather.

Heroic songs, were chanted by wandering minstrels in the days of Attila and Charlemagne, but they are lost. The epic singers of that age appeared before an audience and declaimed in musical recitative. Germany has but one literary fragment of that day—the song of Hildebrand. "Small as is the fragment left to us, it is a noble fruit, and from it we may infer the grandeur of the tree which bore it." The German poets learned to rhyme from the Roman nations. The first traces of rhyme in Germany appear in the ninth century. Beginning about the year 600 two languages, the High German and the Low German, began to be formed. The author says that among all the Teutonic languages, whether of olden or more modern times, none can compare for melody with the Old High German, as seen in the rhyming poets of the ninth century. It is rich in vowels, melodious and plastic as Italian. The mother tongue of Charlemagne was High German, and from that monarch date the first connected records in the German language.—History of German Literature.

The Color of the Human Eye.

Some curious researches have recently been undertaken by Swiss and Swedish physicians on the color of the eyes, but without any apparent purpose. For convenience all eyes were divided in blue or brown, the various shades of gray eyes being classified according to the prominence of blue or brown in their color. Some of the conclusions from a great many observations are these: That women with brown eyes have better prospects of marriage than those with blue; that the average of number of children is greater with parents whose eyes are dissimilar. In children both of whose parents have blue eyes, 93 per cent. inherit blue eyes; but in children both of whose parents have brown eyes, only 80 per cent. have brown eyes. The above results were reached in Switzerland. In Sweden the discoveries were not quite the same. The women with brown eyes were more numerous there than the men with brown eyes, but brown eyes are apparently increasing there as in Switzerland.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Discovery of Blue Paper.

Congressman Whiting, of Holyoke, make a little speech recently at a dinner in New York, and in the course of his remarks upon the influence of paper he stated this incident: "The introduction of blue paper is another interesting item. The owner of a small mill in England went to London to sell his product, leaving his wife at home. It was washing-day—presumably Monday—and the good wife had a bluing-bag tied to her apron. She visited the mill and, leaning over the engine, dropped her bluing-bag, and instead of white paper she had a lot of blue paper. She met her husband upon his return with a good deal of apprehension, and informed him of the misfortune. He felt as if a serious mistake had been made until he sent the product to market and received 5 cents per pound more than for his usual article, and thereafter his mill was run on blue paper, and it brought him a fortune."—Chicago Times.

The Decoration of Hospital Walls.

Hospitals must necessarily lack many of the attractions of homes, but they can be made more pleasant than they are. Vast, ghostly expanses of white and naked walls, glaring in sunlight, and glowering in twilight, are of themselves incentives to death, when the spirit is more than half weary of life. Bright papers, or papers of any kind, are tabooed from hospital walls by the dicta of hygiene. But a neutral gray might wisely supersede the hideous white, and pictures are very cheap nowadays. A few chromos, with trees and rivers, and laughing children, and pleasant home interiors for subjects, might be found more serviceable than medicine to the patient whose mind is hesitating unconsciously between the apathies and the vitalities.—Indianapolis Times.

The New Yorker's Living Coffin.

The average New Yorker of a successful life goes down-town as soon as he can get his breakfast and wrestles all day with a half-dollar. He is like Jacob and the angel in this performance. Toward night he generally manages to trip the half-dollar and throw it, and swear that he will not let it go until it gives him the blessing of that day. Then he takes his coupe, or one which he hires every day, or takes the elevated railroad, and goes up to his lonely den in one of these gloomy brown-stone streets. There he has got some $40,000 to $90,000 locked up in a piece of ground about twenty feet front by ninety-five feet deep. It is his living coffin, and he sits up in it that evening playing at one or another kind of intelligent jack-straws.—"Gath's" Letter.

No Swim Bladder in Soles.

When once the young sole has taken permanently to lying on his left side he is no longer able to swim vertically; he can only wriggle along sideways on the bottom, with a peculiarly slow, sinuous, and undulating motion. In fact, it would be a positive disadvantage to him to show himself in the upper waters, and for this very purpose nature, with her usual foresight, has deprived him altogether of a swim bladder, by whose aid most other fishes constantly regulate their specific gravity, so as to rise or sink at will in the surrounding medium. —Cornhill Magazine.

It has just been discovered that the green sands which are very plentiful in Georgia have valuable fertilizing qualities.

High-school visitor, examining scholar: "Where is the north pole?" "I don't know, sir." "Don't know! Are you not ashamed that you don't know where the north pole is?" "Why, sir, if Sir John Franklin, and Dr. Kane, and Captains Hall and Greeley couldn't find it, how should I know where it is?"

Roscoe Conkling says that "the smallest country newspaper is worth more to its subscribers in one month than its price for a year, and does more for its neighborhood for nothing than many a high official does for his munificent salary."

Scott's Emulsion of Pure

Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, is more reliable as an agent in the cure of Consumption, Chronic Coughs and Emaciation, than any remedy known to medical science. It is so prepared that the potency of these two most valuable specifics is largely increased. It is also very palatable.

The best time for plowing under green crops is when they are flowering.

The liar is always more indignant at having his word doubted than the honest man.

A Vermont editor has been appointed pound-master. He can shut up his delinquent subscribers.

Men who most pride themselves on their knewledge of the world generally know only its crooked alleys and dirty lanes.

It is foolish to become discouraged. The best of us all have much to fear, and the worst of us all have much to hope for.

Philadelphia pawnshops are overrun with roller skates. "My uncle" will advance only 50 cents on even the most expensive pair.

The roots of the strawberry often reach out five feet from the main stem, and hence the plants should not be set out too thickly.

Has a Monumental Significance.

When we hear of a little thing by Raphael, half a foot square, fetching $125,000 we are amazed until we reflect that this little trifle has a monumental significance as marking the point where the great master, and with him one might say the art of the world, forsook the early tradition and under the guidance of the newly-discovered antique fragments turned to the study of nature alone.

That Raphael picture will never go out of fashion, and the same may be said of all the great names which have survived through many centuries of change. But when such sums are paid as we have seen paid a few weeks ago for modern work we can not but wonder what will be the worth of those same canvasses a score of years hence. Any one who can look back a quarter of a century will remember how many changes of fashions there have been in art, as in everything else. A dozen fashions have followed one another, each for a brief period, as the manipulators have found it to their interest to direct.—Philadelphia Times.

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Why suffer with Sick Headache? Why scratch with Itching Piles? Why be tortured with Rheumatism? Why have your nerves and entire system unstrung, and need a genius to soothe you to assist you to sleep? Why rave with that terrible Backache? Why lose your appetite, and need a tonic? Why have that bad taste in your mouth? What makes you tremble so? Your nerves are all out of order, and need a tonic. Sulphur Bitters is just the medicine to repair the damages which your system has sustained. Sulphur Bitters will cure you when all other remedies fail. Sulphur Bitters will cure you when you have caused your stomach to be ruined by the use of quack nostrums and vile whiskey drinks. Sulphur Bitters will cure you when you have become reduced by excesses, dissipation, or any other cause

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NORTH WOBURN IN 1820.

When we speak of "North Woburn," we must bear in mind that our village was never known by that name until a comparatively recent date. It was always and only "New Bridge." But why was the place so called? In my boyhood, it was often said that the name was derived from the Canal Bridge, which was constructed near the time of the opening of the Middlesex Canal in 1803, just below the Baldwin mansion. But this was surely a mistake. More than 150 years before that event and within the first ten or twelve years of the town's municipal history, the place was called "New Bridge *Field*" and, sometimes, simply "New Bridge," to distinguish it from other districts of the new town to which other names were given.

After a long continued investigation of this matter, I have come to the conclusion, open however, to correction if wrong, that the simple explanation is this: There was and is, though now it is difficult to trace a part of its original course, a small stream which makes its first appearance somewhere between Kilby street, a little north of Woburn Centre and Lowell street, near Central Square, and, following a depression in the soil northerly just on the line of the Canal, to a point a little above our new R. R. Depot, fell a few feet toward the east over what, since my remembrance, was called "The Sluice-way." It then ran northeasterly to New Boston street, near which it received a small tributary from the north, and, immediately changing its course, ran South-easterly to the Pond near Richardson's, formerly Ames' mill. Thence its course is south to Burbank's Pond, a little north of the present village of Montvale; thence, a short distance to a small body of water called "Hill Pond" on the northeastern border of the village, and thence to a much larger Pond a little south of the village. From this point it is considerably increased in size, and, under the familiar name, given by the first settlers of Woburn, the Aberjona, passes through the heart of that part of Woburn which is now Winchester, and empties into Mystic, formerly "Medford," Pond near the Medford line, and so on, by the outlet of Mystic River, to Boston harbor.

Over this historic stream at Winchester, Edward Converse, who built the first house and the first mill in Woburn, also built the first bridge even before the town was incorporated. Subsequently, as the first settlers spread themselves to the north, and James Thompson, Henry Baldwin and others settled here, it became necessary to build another bridge over the same stream, though much smaller than farther on in its course, and also over the low depression along which the stream made its way near Henry Baldwin's home. And *this* I understand to have been the "*new* bridge" which gave to this part of the new town the name which it retained for 200 years, and which was as significant to the first settlers, as North Woburn is to us.

THE STREETS OF NORTH WOBURN IN 1820.

For convenience in designation, I call them *streets*, though none were so called *then*. With the exception of Elm, which was then the main thoroughfare, hardly one of them was more than a rude lane, and some of them were mere cart-paths. Such as they were, they were ten in number, hardly *half* the present number. The names, by which they are now known, are Main, (including Elm) West, Ward, Pearl, Winter, Mountain, Alfred, Plain, New Boston, and North Maple. Of all these streets, the oldest and, by far, the most imposing and important was that part of Main, which is now known as Elm street. All the best and most conspicuous houses, with hardly a single exception, were between the Canal Bridge near the Baldwin mansion, including Mrs. Wheeler's house then regarded as on Elm street, and the Nichols house opposite Boynton's store.

In speaking of the houses of North Woburn in 1820, I shall follow in the main, the old School district lines, embracing, besides our immediate village, a part of New Boston street. In tracing those on the old Main street, I will, for convenience, *begin* at Central Square, instead, as formerly, at a point about midway between Central Square, or, as every one then called it, "Clapp's Corner," and the house of Mr. Daniel Kimball. In all this stretch of highway, there are now standing only 21 houses that were built before 1809, and of these, 13 are on the old Main street, mostly upon the present Elm street. Beginning at Central Square and coming north a few rods, there was, on the right, a house, (which has since given place to another, or to the old one rebuilt, long occupied by Eleazer F. Poole, father of E. F. Poole who, within a few years, lived on Church street. A few rods further north and also on the right, stood a small house occupied by John Scottows, a name which, by his death, became extinct in Woburn. The spot is now occupied by a much larger house, built by John C. Brackett, and occupied in more recent years, by the late Page Eaton and sons, and others. Still coming north, for a greater distance, there was and is another small house on the right, a few rods south of Mr. D. Kimball's occupied by Jacob Converse. On the opposite side of the street, standing where is now the house of Mr. Kimball, was the famous "Black house," occupied in 1820, as for many years before and after this date, by the family of Nathan Parker, one of the victims of the Clapp house disaster in 1807.

The next house, coming north, was that of the late James F. Baldwin, still standing, and occupied by William H. Conant. The next house was the old historic mansion, built by Henry Baldwin, one of the first settlers in Woburn, in 1661, and now probably the best preserved and oldest habitable house in town. This house looks, in the main, very much as it has always looked since 1820. It has of course needed and received some changes and repairs from time to time. Mr. Geor_e R. Baldwin put up the present north chimney of the house, which, so far as was known, was the first "*single flue*" chimney in the country. Mr. B. also designed the chimney caps, and built the small addition to the house in the rear. But many of the old attractions in the surroundings of the place long since disappeared. On the south, between the house and the Canal, was once, as I well remember, a beautiful garden, with walks, and trees, shrubs and flowers, and tempting fruits, such as are often seen now, but were very rare then. The present generation might think the flowers old fashioned, but the whole garden was, in its day, far superior to any thing of the kind in this vicinity, though neither fountain, nor arbor, nor walk, nor boat is there now to hint at the story of the past.

If an account of North Woburn in 1820 may include the common village stories of that period, it may perhaps be allowable to mention one or two that were connected with this old and beautiful garden. We, the boys, used to be *told* that Col. Baldwin was greatly annoyed by *some* of the village boys and pigs both which often found their way into the garden and stole or destroyed not a little of the fine fruit. On one occasion, the Colonel *caught* a company of boys in the very act of theft and made them prisoners. They very properly supposed that something dreadful was to happen. It was morning, and they had a long summer's day before them. Escorted with almost military precision into the house, they were ushered into a room far superior in many respects to any they ever saw before, and there, all day long, were treated with the kindest civilities and attentions as welcome guests. A table was loaded not only with an abundance of the coveted fruit, but also with various other delicacies, and they were told to help themselves and make themselves at home. The Colonel was most happy to see them and equally happy to entertain them, taking meanwhile special care to honor the occasion by the constant presence with them, through the long day, of himself or some one of his hospitable family. As the day wore slowly away, the honored guests, now and then as they could, exchanged significant glances, and, as night approached, the glances had a decided touch of anxiety lest their visit should be so long as to unduly tax the hospitality of their distinguished host. Night, however, came and their thoughtful entertainer, without a hint at the *occasion* of his friendly attentions, and thinking their mothers might be anxious about them, dismissed them, with many good wishes and invitations to come again, to their homes. It used to be *said* that they never accepted his invitation to repeat the visit, and never again took any special interest in Col. Baldwin's fine garden.

The story of the *pigs* is shorter. As the boys had climbed *over* the gate, the pigs crawled *under* it. Accordingly, the Colonel so fastened a sharp scythe beneath the gate, that every pig, one at a time, who attempted to get through, was sure to retreat with a sudden squeal and a cut and bleeding nose. Yet, boy-like and man-like as well, every pig of the flock had to *try* it, though, in each case, with the same result.

I cannot *vouch* for the entire accuracy of these old stories. But such, essentially, were the stories of 1820.

The Baldwin Farm-house, a few rods north of the old Baldwin home, has been, since 1820, about doubled in size. Otherwise, it has not materially changed. It was occupied at about the time I have specified, by Alexander McKay.

The entrance to Mrs. Wheeler's house, then occupied by Archelaus Tay, was from Elm street. The fence on the east side of the street, somewhat ornamental for its day, there took a circular sweep inward toward the house, and from a large central gateway, there extended, on either side of the avenue leading to the house, rows of beautiful trees, chiefly Linden trees imported by Col. Baldwin from England. In the rear of the house was a short branch canal, leading from the main stream in the direction of the house and sometimes furnishing a temporary resting place for a canal boat. The whole picture, like that of the Baldwin mansion and grounds, was one of a quiet, well-kept and dignified English country seat, very attractive and restful. It was built, *not* by Col. Baldwin as has been commonly supposed, but by Dr. Samuel Blodgett, toward the close of the last century, but left unfinished, and sold by him to Col. Baldwin who finished it so far as to admit of having there a great Centennial jubilee in 1800.

Coming north from the Wheeler house, the next house, built and occupied by the late Jonathan Thompson, Jr., was that now occupied by Sullivan Butters. A few rods north of this and upon the same side of the street was and is the old historic house of Samuel Thompson, Esq., built by his father about 1730, and occupied in 1820 by Capt. Jonathan Thompson, Sen., a son of Samuel Esq. Nearly opposite, on the corner of Elm and West streets was the house of Dea. Charles Thompson, built in 1809, and now occupied by his son, the present speaker. A few rods north, is the Sheriff Thompson house built about 1778, occupied in 1820 by his widow and a married daughter, the mother of C. P. Hosmer. It is now known as the Fisher house.

On the brow of the hill, corner of Elm and Ward streets, was the house of "Major Abijah" Thompson, built in 1801, and now owned and occupied by Henry Thompson. On the opposite corner of the same streets, was the house of Moses Winn, built by Sheriff Abijah Thompson about 1760, and now the residence of Mrs. Ruel Carter.

Next was the three-story brick house built in 1809 by Jonathan Tidd, Sen., and occupied by him and his son William in 1820. With one exception, it was the largest house in North Woburn. Yet, for several years, it was found by the occupants to be inconvenient and without a room suitable for a kitchen. Consequently, a one-story extension was built so as to connect the main house with the well in the rear, and two wings were, at different times, added, one at each end of the house, so as to accommodate two families. The southern wing, after standing for some years, was taken away. The extension in the rear was also long since removed.

The next house occupied at the time we are considering, by Charles Flagg, the father of Charles Flagg now of Central Square, was that in which his mother, the late Mrs. Harriet Brooks, died in 1882.

Not far from 1820, there stood a house where is now the house of Mrs. Albert Thompson, once known as the Jabez Thompson house, and occupied by his son-in-law, Thomas Poole, the father of the numerous family of that name in North Woburn. This house becoming too old and being of insufficient dimensions for the accommodation of the family, was at length torn down to make room for another. At the same there was still standing near the house of Sheriff Abijah Thompson, a very large and quite respectable barn which had been erected for the convenience of the hotel once kept in that large house by the Sheriff. There being no further use for it, at this time, it was divided into two parts. One was moved down to the spot now occupied by my own barn and was used for a barn for many years, till, in 1869, it gave place to another.

The other part of this barn was removed up the street, placed upon the spot before occupied by the house of Jabez Thompson, and later, by Mr. Poole, and there rebuilt as a dwelling-house which is now the comfortable and every way respectable home of Mrs. Albert Thompson. L. T.

[*To be continued.*]

Our Dumb Friends.

DOGS AND TEMPERANCE.

One bitter cold day last winter the policeman walking up and down Fairmount Park saw a faithful dog sitting beside a sack of flour. His drunken master had left him to guard it, and then had gone away to forget all about it. Pitying the poor fellow they tried to call him off to a more sheltered place but he would not move, nor would he suffer anyone to touch the bag. Hour after hour passed by, and the shivering, faithful watcher was nearly frozen at his post, yet he would not desert. Finally his head dropped, and it was plain that he had become insensible; so humane hearts had him quickly taken into the guard-house, while willing hands helped to restore him again to life. If they could have given him a better master, it would have been a double charity. If that dog could vote, do you think it would be on the side of prohibition?

At the late meeting of the Western New York Horticultural Society, Mr. C. A. Green, Chairman of the department of Ornithology, read an address from which we extract the following:

The increase of insects is marvellous. One insect may in one year become the progenitor of six billion descendents. Three hundred and twenty-five thousand actual species of insects are known, and it is thought that there are as many more species unknown. If undisturbed insects would destroy every green thing upon the earth's surface, and man would perish; but nature has provided enemies, and prominent among them are the birds which keep the insects in check without cost to the horticulturist. A swallow as it skims through the air on a summer day will destroy more insects than a farmer in the same length of time sweating over a heavy bucket of Paris green mixture. As evidence of this, we can look back to old times when birds were far more numerous and when insects were not so troublesome. As the country became cleared of timber and more thickly inhabited, the birds have been destroyed in large numbers, and insects have gained the ascendency. There are millions of useful birds killed annually to form ornaments for ladies hats and bonnets. At church or concert I see in every direction the unoffending birds used as ornaments when they should be at work performing the duties assigned them by nature. There are birds that are worn by city belles that, alive, would accomplish more good work for mankind than the average fashionable belle, although she lived for a century. The eyes and beaks of these dead birds cry out in shame against the cruel fashion that causes their slaughter. I have counted the birds on bonnets at church and concert, and find that at least half the ladies were thus decorated. One of Prof. Ward's assistants said to me: "We have debated the subject. Which causes the greatest loss of bird life—**the fashion of wearing in hats or the** bird's natural enemies, hunters, trappers, frosts and storms combined?" "Our conclusion is," he continued, "that fashion kills more birds than all other causes." It is estimated that 10,000,000 birds are worn on the hats of ladies in North America and 50,000,000 in Europe and other lands. Consider the woeful slaughter, thoughtless women, simply to indulge your caprice for fashion. Think of the forsaken nests, the starved nestlings, the places once melodious, now deserted; think of the vast hosts of destructive insects that thrive jubilantly along their slimy and noisome paths since the birds are destroyed. What excuse can you offer why judgment should not be pronounced upon you for your folly? Buy other ornaments and do away with this foolish crime.

The South Bristol, Mass., Farmers' Club is circulating this pledge: "We agree neither to buy nor use for any purpose whatever the plumage of birds which have been killed solely for decoration. And we promise to exercise all our influence to further the object of this pledge, which is the preservation of song birds."

Severe cold is fatal to the birds and other creatures that have no artificial protection—as more than one "hard winter" has witnessed. So sometimes is the excessive heat of Summer, when

"Vertical the sun
Darts on the head direct his forceful rays."

Last Summer a bird fell from a tree in West Forty-seventh street in New York city, during the hottest part of the day, on Sunday, July 26th, and lay, panting and faint, on the sidewalk, overcome by the heat. A little boy, who was playing with some companions near by, saw the bird fall, and ran and picked it up. Taking it to a shady spot, and laying it carefully down, the little got a fan, and returning, fanned the exhausted bird until it exhibited signs of returning life, and suddenly with a shrill chirp, as if to express its gratitude to its deliverer, it spread its wings and flew away. If that little boy becomes a farmer, he will never turn his cows, in the heat of Summer, into a pasture without a shade tree.

[From Medford Mercury.]

The Middlesex Canal.

Probably the canal boats that plied over the old canal from Lowell to Boston can be recollected by but few of our citizens, and many, it may be never heard of the canal. At a recent gathering in Lowell a fine description of the Middlesex canal was read, from which we quote the following:

The plan originated with Hon. James Sullivan, who was for six years a judge of the Supreme court of Massachusetts, attorney general from 1790 to 1807, and governor in 1807 and 1808, dying while holding the latter office. A consultation with his friend, Col. Baldwin, sheriff of Middlesex, resulted in a petition to the General Court for an act of incorporation. A charter was granted June 22, 1793, "incorporating James Sullivan, Esq., and others, by the name of the Proprietors of the Middlesex Canal." The board of directors was organized October 11, and Boston capitalists subscribed freely for the stock. The necessary surveys between the Charlestown basin and the Merrimac river at Middlesex were made by Samuel Weston, an eminent English engineer, who presented his report in August 1794, and the canal was opened to public navigation from the Merrimac to the Charles in 1803. It was 30 feet wide and 2 feet deep, with 20 locks and 7 aqueducts, and was crossed by 50 bridges. Its cost was $500,000, of which one-third was for land damages. Commencing at the Charlestown millpond, it passed through Medford, crossing the Mystic through a wooden aqueduct of 109 feet, to Horn pond in Woburn. Traversing Woburn and Wilmington, it crossed the Shawsheen by an aqueduct of 137 feet, and struck the Concord, from which it received its water, at Billerica mills. Entering the Concord by a stone guard-lock it crossed with a floating tow-path, and passed out on the northern side through another stone guard-lock; thence it descended 27 feet in a course of 5 1-4 miles. The stock was divided into 800 shares. It advanced from $25 to $500 in 1804, and then went down to $300 in 1816. The first dividend was declared in 1819 when the prosperity of the canal property seemed assured. Its palmy days were from that time until 1836, when the Boston & Lowell railroad was opened. In 1832 it declared a dividend of $22 per share; and from 1834 to 1837 a yearly dividend of $30. The year the Lowell road went into full operation the receipts of the canal were reduced one-third, and when the Nashua & Lowell road went into full operation in 1840, they were reduced another third. The board of directors waged a plucky warfare with the railroads, reducing the tariff on all articles, till the expenses of the Canal outran its income. In 1875 stock fell to $150, and the canal was discontinued. The property was sold for $130,000. After the final dividends, little more than the original assessment had been returned to the stockholders. Oct. 3, 1859, the Supreme Court issued a decree, declaring that the proprietors had "forfeited all their franchises and privileges, by reason of non-feasance, non-user, misfeasance and neglect," and thus the corporation was dissolved. The curious traveller may still trace with little difficulty the line of the old Middlesex canal, with here and there a break, from the basin at Charlestown to its junction with the Merrimac at Middlesex village. At Medford the sewer runs along one portion of the bed; the Spot pond water-pipes at another. The tow-path at one points marks the course of the defunct Mystic Valley railroad; at others it has been metamorphosed into sections of the highway; at others it survives as a cowpath or woodland lane; at Wilmington the stone sides of a lock have become the lateral walls of a dwelling-house cellar. Judging the canal by the pecuniary recompense it brought its projectors, it must be admitted a dismal failure, yet its inception was none the less a comprehensive, far-reaching scheme, which seemed to assure a future of ample profits and great public usefulness. Boston was a small town of about 20,000 inhabitants; Medford, Woburn and Chelmsford were insignificant villages; and Lowell was as yet unborn, while the valley of the Merrimac, northward into New Hampshire, supported a sparse agricultural population. The Middlesex canal was the first step towards the solution of the problem of cheap transportation.

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LITERARY NOTICES.

J. T. Trowbridge's new serial, The Kelp-Gatherers, is the leading feature of the June ST. NICHOLAS. Little Lord Fauntleroy is continued in a much longer installment than last month's. How shall we spend the Summer? is a question more often asked than satisfactorily answered at this season; but The Boys' Paradise and A Boys' Camp, will throw a great deal of light on this perplexing subject, while those who prefer to pass their vacation in Europe can join Frank R. Stockton's Personally Conducted party and visit all the beauties and wonders of Queen Paris. Mother's Idea holds an idea for girls as well; and The Satchel contains a grotesquely amusing mixture of fairy tale and science and five illustrations. All American boys are fond of baseball and dogs, and are certain to be interested in reading about The Left-field of the Lincoln Nine. The story of George Washington is continued. Henry Eckford has more Wonders of the Alphabet to relate; and there are sketches and poems by E. P. Roe, who contributes two dog stories, Helen Gray Cone, C. F. Holder, Mary A. Lathbury, Laura E. Richards, Edith M. Thomas, and others.

The May number of the NEW ENGLAND MAGAZINE is a very handsome one. It opens with a fine article on Trinity College, by Prof. Samuel Hart, and with many good pictures of buildings, portraits of Presidents, etc. But the most profusely illustrated article is Herbert L. Aldrich's New Bedford. This old city is the subject of a fascinating article; for the writer's account of the wonderful whaling industry of which, thirty years ago, New Bedford was the centre of the world, reads almost like a romance. Twenty-six illustrations add to the interest of the article and make it one of the most sumptuous ever given in this magazine. There are numerous other important contributions. Henry Barnard, The American Educator, is the subject of a sketch by the late John D. Philbrick. The portrait of Mr. Barnard forms the frontispiece. Lawyers and others will find some solid reading in Judicial Falsifications of History, by Hon. Chas. Cowley. Mrs. Workman finishes her Romance of King Phillip's War, and there are two other historical stories: Dorris's Hero, by Marjorie Daw, and A Daughter of the Puritans, by Anna B. Bensel. In verse, we have The Picture, by Mary D. Brine, and some lines To Oliver Wendell Holmes on his Departure for England, by Edward P. Guild. The departments are all ably edited, as usual. Published at 43 Milk street, Boston. Price, 35 cents; $3.00 a year.

A finely engraved drawing from Houdon's bust of Benjamin Franklin is the frontispiece of the June CENTURY, and several pages of Unpublished Letters of Benjamin Franklin, add to the literary interest of the number. The Rev. Dr. J. M. Buckley contributes a remarkable article on Faith-Healing and Kindred Prenomena. His conclusions are opposed to the claims of Christian faith-healers. In their order the illustrated papers of the number are a Literary Ramble, by Austin Dobson, along the Thames in which we have glimpses of the scenery along the university course; Mrs. Schuyler van Rensselaer's second paper on American Country Dwellings, a paper on Harvard's Botanic Garden and Its Botanists, and a paper on Birds' Eggs, with engravings of twenty-two varieties of eggs. The Antietam campaign is the subject of the war papers the illustrations referring mostly to the battle of Antietam, and forming perhaps the richest pictorial contribution yet made to the series. General James Longstreet's reminiscences are covered by the title, The Invasion of Maryland; General John G. Walker writes of the battles of Harper's Ferry and Sharpsburg, Colonel Henry Kyd Douglas relates anecdotes of Stonewall Jackson in Maryland; and Charles Carleton Coffin describes Scenes at Antietam. Besides the continuation of Mr. Howell's The Minister's Charge; or, The Apprenticeship of Lemuel Barker, the fiction of the number comprises Meh Lady, and the Hotel Experience of Mr. Pink Fluker. In Bric-a-Brac there is a curious legend of a Japanese Rip Van Winkle, entitled Urashima. Topics of the Time, addresses A Word of Sympathy and Caution to law-abiding working-men; discusses Two kinds of Boycotting; and broaches the question, Who are the Guiltier? In Open Letters, Professor Samuel M. Hopkins discusses Christian Union; Professor E. R. Sill Shall Women go to College? the Rev. Dr. Washington Gladden The Labor Question, and in Found—A Universal Tinker, it is shown that a suggestion made anonymously by Mark Twain, in the December CENTURY, has borne practical fruit. The poems are by Bessie Chandler, Harriet Prescott Spofford, Amelie Rives, C. S. Percival, Edmund Gosse; and in Bric-a-Brac by Samuel Minturn Peck, Anthony Lovell, Charlotte Fiske Bates, and the late George T. Lanigan.

Food for the brain and nerves that will invigorate the body without intoxicating, is what we need in these days of rush and worry. Parker's Tonic restores the vital energies, soothes the nerves, and brings good health quicker than any thing you can use.

An exchange suggests that young ladies give up the banjo and take to flute playing. This couldn't be done. It is impossible to talk while playing the flute.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

☞ Last Tuesday evening James G. Blaine made a great speech at the Gladstone meeting in Portland. It was an immense gathering of friends of home rule in Ireland, at which, besides Mr. Blaine, stirring addresses were made by Gov. Robie, Mayor Chipman, Rev. P. A. McKenna, and others. Mr. Blaine's oration was a ringing plea in behalf of the cause for the success of which Ireland, Premier Gladstone, and Mr. Parnell, are now making a heroic struggle, and a stinging rebuke to Salisbury and other British nobles who are fighting against it. There can no longer be any doubt as to where James G. Blaine stands on the great question of Ireland's freedom from the oppression of England's misrule, if indeed there ever could have been any. When the liberties of any people are involved he is always to be found on the side of right and justice.

☞ Labor troubles seem to be petering out all over the country. We hear of some unimportant strikes here and there, but they have but little effect on business, which is rapidly getting back into its normal condition everywhere.

The wise counsels of Powderley and others like him have had a quieting effect on the workingmen, and it is to be hoped that the end of the difficulties has been reached. It will be better for all concerned if the day of strikes and boycotting is passed.

☞ President Cleveland was married to a Miss Folsom of New York State last Wednesday afternoon.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

W. E. Carter—Rink.
T. C. Evans—Stetson.
Dr. I. J. Clark—To Let.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
J. G. Maguire—Tax Sales.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
G. M. Cheever—Millinery, &c.
Mrs. J. H. Connolly—For Sale.
Wm. Winn & Co.—Auction Sale.
J. G. Maguire—App. for License.
Cong'l Society—"Reverse Party."
S. B. Goddard—For Sale or To Let.
Town of Woburn—"Missing Records."

— See "To Let"—a front room on Main street.

— Remember the Town Meeting next Tuesday evening.

— Mrs. J. H. Connolly wants to rent her engraving shop. See card elsewhere.

— Last Monday Col. Grammer took Capt. Charles S. Converse to Worcester for treatment.

— Mr. T. M. Costello, a worthy Woburn boy, is visiting friends here at his old home.

— Mr. Charles H. Barnes, 512 Washington street, Boston, keeps a great stock of goods and selis cheap.

— There was another delightful rain storm yesterday. Warm, gentle, falling lightly, wasn't it welcome, though?

— The Boston Clothing Company, John C. Buck, manager, has summer hats in great variety of material and all styles.

— Mrs. C. Littlefield returned last Saturday from a fortnights' visit with relatives and friends at North Berwick, Maine.

— We print the new time-table of the B. & L. R. R. this week. It will be seen that the 10.40 p. m. train is taken off.

— On the outside of this paper may be read a condensed history of the Middlesex Canal taken from the *Medford Mercury*.

— We call attention to the advertisement of Superintendent Richardson headed "Missing Records," which tells what the School Board want.

— William Winn & Co. will sell some valuable real estate in Stoneham on June 10, for Hon. A. B. Coffin. For particulars see advertisement.

— "Watson's Illuminator" for the present month is brimful of laughter. The versatile publisher "keeps step with the music of the Union."

— In the great exhibition game of Polo between the Woburns and Walthams, last Friday evening, at Carter's Academy, the former won 3 to 0.

— Wednesday June 2 a matched baseball game was played between the Plymptons and Stars. The score was 30 to 27 in favor of the Plymptons.

— Bear in mind that the Woburns and Walthams play their second game this evening at Carter's Academy. It will be a very exciting and toughly contested one.

— The Woburn shoe store, Prior & Mann, proprietors, keeps full lines of ladies', gentlemen's, boys' and girls' boots and shoes. The prices are lower than in Boston.

— Mr. Moses Bancroft, the well-known dealer in sewing-machines, has stores at Reading, Wakefield, Stoneham and Woburn, and between them all he is kept pretty busy.

— A week or so ago Griffin Place, Esq., sailed for Liverpool, from whence he will go to London, Paris, and some other European cities. His trip is chiefly a business one.

— A feeble yip from the venerable editor of the *Advertiser*, and Perpetual Committee-man, would seem to indicate that Woburn may or may not have a 4th-of-July celebration.

— Mr. Alfred T. Webber, for several years yardmaster for the B. & L. R. R. Company here, has resigned and accepted a better position with the Old Colony road. The B. & L. have lost the services of a firstrate man, but what is their loss is the Old Colony's gain.

— The half-past 5 p. m. edition of the Boston *Record* can be obtained at Robinson's—Robie's old stand. The *Record* is the brightest and newsiest evening paper in Boston.

— Mr. S. B. Goddard offers the E. W. Champney residence on Academy Hill for sale or rent. It is one of the most desirable places in town and ought to find a purchaser at once.

— Everyone who tries Buckman & White's "Star Creamery" butter speak in very high terms of it, and prefer it to all other kinds. There is no doubt but that it is splendid butter.

— Frank E. Soles of this town was awarded the first prize of the Boston Latin School for the best English Essay at Tremont Temple, last Friday. He is reading law in Boston.

— Mr. D. H. Richards has commenced work on his double-tenement house on Fairmount street. W. E. Smith does the carpenter work, and other good mechanics are employed.

— The Celtic Association had a great picnic in Hiawatha Grove last Monday. Barges had their hands full all the afternoon in conveying passengers to and fro. They had a big time of it.

— Dennis Kelley of this place was a member of the committee on nomination of officers of the State Catholic Total Abstinence Union, at the convention held at Charlestown last Monday.

— Last Wednesday Miss L. J. Valentine and Mrs. E. V. Bridgham of Court street, left for New Gloucester, Maine, to attend the Wooden Wedding of their brother, who resides there. They expect to return to-morrow.

— Mrs. G. M. Cheever from Boston has taken the store on Montvale Avenue lately occupied by Miss Maloney as a hair store, where she will open a first class millinery establishment and continue the hair business.

— The ladies of Hope Lodge, D. of R., I. O. O. F., will hold a strawberry festival in G. A. R. Hall, on Wednesday evening, June 9, admission to which has been put at the low price of ten cents. A general invitation is extended to the public.

— The weather all this week has been delightfully June-like and charming. It would puzzle the most accomplished weather-maker in the land to provide anything that could beat it. New England climate is about as fine as is made anywhere.

— Dea. G. R. Gage, Mr. Luke Warren Fowle, Mrs. Brown of Pleasant and Canal streets, Mrs. Dimmick, Mrs. Eames and others left here early in the week to attend the Home Missionary meetings at Saratoga. They expected to be away about three or four days.

— The salary of the Chief of Police has been raised from $900 to $1000, and that of the regular offices from $720 to $800. This was a very proper acknowledgement of the value of the services of our present police force. They are faithful, hard working men and deserve good pay.

— Dr. I. J. Clark, who, by the way, is a native of Woburn, and whose father Dr. Clark, enlisted in the 35th Massachusetts Regiment from No. Woburn, has taken and resides in the Tidd house next to the Episcopalian church on Main street. He likes Woburn first rate, and has come here to stay.

— Many of our citizens have been making purchases from the establishment of Paine's Furniture Company, Boston, offering as an excuse for their lack of loyalty to home industry the large assortment to select from, and the difference in price; besides, say they, every one in town don't find out what we paid for them.

— Mrs. James N. Dow and Mrs. Cram left here yesterday for Andover, N. H., to pay a visit to the son of the former who is Principal of the Academy at that place. They will be away about two weeks. In the mean time Mr. James N. Dow, our Town Treasurer, will be obliged to shift for himself, and rather poor business, we fear, he will make of it.

— Mr. William B. Harris, the Lexington street patriot, is between 76 and 77 years old, and although his face is cleanly shaven all the time he never had a barber take his beard off until last Saturday, always having done the work himself. We suspect he would not have employed a tonsorial artist then only he wanted to stake out a pair of fashionable side-whiskers and was just a little afraid to undertake the job alone.

— The strawberry festival of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A., given last Monday evening, turned out very well indeed in the way of cash receipts. Nearly as much money was made as at last year's strawberry festival to which a great deal more work and pains were devoted, and it was full as pleasant as an entertainment. The ladies were very well pleased with the patronage bestowed on their efforts to raise funds.

On last Monday morning Mr. Thomas Freeman, formerly of Hallowell, Maine, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. A. G. Davis, in Farmingdale, Maine, aged 89 years, 7 months and 5 days. The diseased was the father of Mr. James A. Freeman, and grandfather of Mr. Henry F. Davis, of this place, the former of whom went to Farmingdale on Tuesday to attend the funeral. He lived a long, useful and honorable life.

— Last Monday we received a pleasant call from Mr. Nathan W. Frye of Everett who comes to Woburn quite often to see old friends and relations, for he was born and raised here, having learned the tanning trade at Gen. Thompson's, in whose employ his father remained continuously for more than forty years. Mr. Frye is still in the leather business, the firm of which he is a member having tanneries at Charlestown and Leominster, and salesroom in Boston.

— All of the meetings of the Y. M. C. A. are all well attended through the week and the interest in them is growing. A goodly number of youth and young men assemble every evening at the Association Rooms where they find a plenty of wholesome literature, music, games, and other things to attract and educate the head and heart in the right direction. Mr. Heartz is in attendance every evening to supervise matters, and contribute to the enjoyment of the young masters present.

— It appears that it was a mistake to credit Charles Choate and others with planting the elms around our Common. The triangle was carefully surveyed by James F. Baldwin and the trees planted under his direction in, some say 1830, others, in 1833. Mr. Baldwin was the son of Loammi Baldwin, a brother of Mr. George Baldwin now resident of No. Woburn, and at one time at the head of the Boston Water Board. He was a distinguished civil engineer, and constructed many very important engineering works in this country. One tree near the Common was planted by Charles Choate.

— There is a heap of grumbling over the withdrawal of the 10.40 p. m. train to Boston. Recent investigation by this office shows that that train was an important one and largely patronized. For entertainments, Lodge meetings, social evening visits, etc., it afforded excellent accommodations to people in Boston and towns all down the road, and the general wonder is that it was taken off, especially as it was a Woburn train, starting from here. We have heard that there is to be another change in the time-table this month to accommodate the mountain travel, which will give Woburn better facilities. Hope so.

— The summer vacation is close at hand and already schools, ministers, business men and others are looking forward with agreeable thoughts to summer rest (in a horn) and pleasures. Many doubtless have settled in their minds where they will spend July and August and begin to long for the blessed day to arrive when they may be able to throw work and cares to the winds and light out for seashore and mountain. But the poor country editor is barred out from all such bright anticipations. Alas and alack! he must work and worry and sweat over his types, and there is no vacation for him.

— Concerning the supper and entertainment to be given in the vestries of the Congregational church on next Thursday evening particulars may be gleaned by referring to the advertisement of it in this paper. The men folks, as we stated last week, will run the machine, and, seriously, in view of the precautions they have taken against possible fatal effects from eating the supper, we are of the opinion that, with a good life insurance and the exercise of some discretion by the guests, the most of them may be able to get back home alive. A very good idea is to admit doctors free. They will all be there, for free tickets and enough to eat always fetch them. Read the ad.

— In view of numerous successful raids on rumshops by Chief Nelson and his force during the past week the thought would naturally suggest itself that violations of the liquor laws will be followed by swift and sure punishment. It must be apparent to the most indifferent observer that Chief Nelson is determined to do his duty while at the head of the Department, and that every violation of the statutes, whether by licensed or illicit venders, will be punished if proof can be procured to convict, and he will look out sharp that it can be. There is to be no let-up anywhere, and licensed sellers stand in about as much danger as the unlicensed. As we have said a thousand times there is no reason why rumsellers should not be forced to obey the laws just the same as other people are. And that is Chief Nelson's view of the case, too.

— A suggestion has been made, and it is a good one, that a record should be kept of the planting of shade and ornamental trees on the streets and public grounds of this town. The history ought to include the locality from which the trees are taken, by whom set out, when, where, etc. A record thus kept would be valuable and very interesting in years to come. As a contribution to such a history we give this information: the maples on Bennett street and Church Avenue were bought of Mr. George Winn in Woburn, by Mr. E. Cooper, and by him set out in 1850. Those on Bennett street were continued to the Gen. Thompson place, now Stephen Dow, Esq's, with the expectation that the street would run through to Myrtle street, near the Catholic church. This, with the record of the elms around the Common planted by Mr. Baldwin, given in this paper, will make a good beginning for such a history as we have suggested.

— On last Wednesday evening a number of gentlemen assembled at Fraternity Hall for the purpose of organizing a Lodge of Ancient Order of United Workmen, which object was accomplished with twenty-five charter members. Mr. Clarence E. Embree of Salem, assisted by about a dozen members of John Endicott Lodge of Salem, did the work, and the organization was named Mishawum Lodge, and its number is 61. The officers chosen were: P. M. W., W. N. Titus; M. W., Thomas J. White; Foreman, L. B. Chapman; Overseer, S. E. Kendrick; Recorder, F. J. Buxton; Receiver, S. S. Hovey; Financier, Webster Woodman; Guide, Frank Charman; I. W., H. J. Wiggin; O. W., W. H. Bowman; Med. Ex., Seth W. Kelley; Trustees, W. N. Titus, 1 year; T. J. White, 2 years; Clarence Littlefield, 3 years. The A. O. U. W. is one of the largest and most prosperous societies of the kind in the country and its ranks are being rapidly augmented by new members.

— William F. Kenney of this place, assistant night editor of the *Globe*, was married last Wednesday morning to Miss Margaret T., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Guinan of Waltham. The ceremony was performed at ten o'clock in St. Mary's Catholic Church, Waltham, and was preceded by grand high nuptial mass, the Rev. Fathers Mahoney, Murphy and Lally conducting. A wedding breakfast served in a tent on the grounds near the residence of the bride's parents and a reception was given there from 1 to 4 P. M. Many presents were received, that from the *Globe* men being a parlor set and sideboard. In the evening a brilliant wedding reception was held at the residence of Mr. Peter Kenney, father of groom, on Main street, this village, which was attended by a large number of society people. An elegant supper was provided and enjoyed. At the close of the reception bride and groom started on a bridal trip to Washington. A large number of presents were made by Woburn folks, a list of which be given next week.

— Last Saturday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. John Cummings gave a reception to Mrs. Barakat of Syria; Rundita Ramabaia, who for two years has been a Professor of Sanskit at Cheltenham, England; Madame Anandebai Joshie, a Hindu Brahmin lady, who recently graduated from the Woman's Medical College at Philadelphia, and her husband, a learned Brahmin, who has been lecturing in Boston; and a hundred or more of other people, including clergymen and distinguished people in missionary work. A large number came out from Boston and the missionary anniversaries held there, also from Winchester, Lexington, etc., and the Ladies' Missionary Society connected with the Woburn First Congregational Church, with the pastor, Dr. March, were present. The reception was entirely informal and a delightful afternoon was spent by all present in social greetings, pleasant conversation, and rambling over the beautiful grounds surrounding the Cummings mansion. An elegant repast was one of the very agreeable features of the handsome reception to the notable company, which dispersed about 6 o'clock. Missionaries were present from Africa, India, China and Turkey.

— The addition to Mr. F. S. Burgess's dry and fancy goods store is completed and filled with wares. It was greatly needed, for the former room was entirely too contracted for a proper display of the stocks kept, the goods being crowded together and packed away out of sight, increasing the labor of the sales-people and operating unfavorably for sales. The enlargement adds several hundred square feet to the store, making it a great deal more commodious, pleasanter and better every way. A much more desirable arrangement of goods can now be made, and a much more satisfactory exhibition of them is allowed by additional shelving, counters, etc. Although more space could be advantageously used by Mr. Burgess, the enlargement makes a fine store. It is abundantly lighted all round which affords customers the very best opportunities for selecting goods; the finish is nice; there are wash-bowls and large mirrors handily placed, and the rooms have a very much pleasanter appearance in every respect. Mr. Burges can now claim one of the neatest, best arranged and most commodious stores in town, and it is brimful of the very best of spring and summer goods.

Board of Selectmen.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Selectmen for the approval of bills, receiving reports, etc., was held on last Tuesday afternoon. All were present. Mr. Lawrence Reade presided, and Clerk T. H. Hill kept the records.

The monthly reports of the Chief of Police, Inspector of Milk, and statement of the Collector, were submitted by those officers, read, approved, and ordered placed on file.

Messers. William Babb, J. R. Marsten and Capt. T. D. Strange of East Woburn appeared and remonstrated against granting a liquor license to Pierce F. Murray. Mr. J. Murphy, in behalf of the Selectmen and the town of Stoneham also appeared and put in a similar protest. The place where Murray proposes to sell liquor, if licensed, adjoins the Stoneham cemetery, hence the remonstrance of the authorities and people of that town.

Hugh Quinn and Andrew M. Paden were drawn as jurors for the June term of the Superior Court.

George W. Soles was appointed special policeman without pay, for the Woburn and Stoneham Barge line.——License granted to the proprietors for a circus to be given here on June 17: fee $25.

The applications for liquor licenses published last week and the week before, were referred to Committee on Police.——License was granted to W. H. Curtis to sell fireworks on July 2, 3, and 5.——Voted to prohibit the sale of toy cartridge pistols.

Chief of Police Nelson reported John McGovern and Joanna Carroll had violated the conditions of their licenses by selling intoxicating liquors on the Lord's Day. Voted to give the above parties a hearing to enable them to show cause, if they can, why their licenses should not be revoked.

The application of the Boston & Lowell R. R. Co., for permission to raise the telegraph and telephone wires at the Centre depot Maine street crossing to enable them to put in the new gates, referred to the Fire Committee.——Bernard McHugh was granted a license to keep billiard tables.——Victualer's licenses were granted to Hugh Dever, John Shinkwin, Pierce F. Murray.

The Committee on Police having reported favorable on the same, 1st class licenses were granted to John Shinkwin, Hugh Dever, J. J. Carroll, 4th class to Bridget Kelly, Hugh Rafferty, Merriam & Chadboru, Dominic Donahoe.——T. T. McGrath was refused a license.

The application of Pierce F. Murray was referred back to the Committee on Police with instructions to get advice and directions from the Town Counsel as to the question and right of abutters to the premises in which Murray proposes to sell liquors and report.

Bills for May, amounting to $22,681.42, were approved.——Adjourned.

Notes.

The Waltham *Daily Tribune* has taken to coming to this office quite regularly of late, which we are very glad of. It is a bright, well-edited, neat appearing, newsy daily, and a credit to the new city it is published in.

The May number of *The Journalist*, published in New York, contains for a leading paper "Colonel Charles H. Taylor," Editor-in-Chief and Manager of the Boston *Globe*, which is accompanied with a good portrait of that enterprising and accomplished journalist. It is a sketch of his newspaper career especially since his connection with the *Globe*, which has enjoyed phenomenal growth and success under his wise and energetic management. The Colonel is a pusher, and a leading journalist of the country. *The Journalist* also contains a brief sketch and portrait of the new editor of the Boston *Advertiser* and *Record*, Mr. Barrett.

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Memorial Services.

A lovelier day than last Monday on which to pay the annual tribute of respect to the memory of the brave and patriotic men who sacrificed their lives defending the integrity of the American Union in the dark days of 1861-5, is seldom seen and enjoyed. The mercury registered summer heat, but thin clouds partially veiled and gentle breezes from the ocean tempered the ardent rays of the sun, producing a temperature as delightful and charming as that of a perfect June day. It was fully appreciated by the veterans, band and escort in their march to the cemeteries and return, as well as by the throngs of people who gathered on the village streets to witness the scene, hear the music, and enjoy their holiday.

At early morn the stars and stripes were unfurled at half-mast from the flag-staff out of respect to the memory of the dead. The Soldiers Monument on the Common was profusely and handsomely decorated with flags, bunting, flowers, plants and ferns, and presented an unusually fine appearance. All places of business were closed, and the day was devoted to objects for which it was set apart. Although many people took the trains for the city, Mount Auburn, and other places where memorial ceremonies were held, and although a large picnic was in progress at Hiawatha Grove by the Celtic Association, our streets were uncommonly full of well dressed and well-behaved people all day.

Between 8 and 9 o'clock in the morning Post 33 filed out of their headquarters and proceeded, led by the National Band in uniform, and escorted by the Police, to headquarters of Post 161, where the two united and at once repaired to Salem street cemetery. There appropriate services were held and the graves of the dead soldiers decorated with fresh, beautiful flowers. From there the procession marched to Calvary cemetery at Montvale, where similar services and ceremonies were performed. This duty done, with brisker step to livelier airs the company returned to the headquarters of each Post and took a recess.

At half-past one o'clock Post 33 took Post 161 under escort and marched to the Soldiers Monument on the Common where prayer was offered by the pastor of the Methodist church, preceded by music by the National Band. Escorted by the Chief and members of the Police and preceded by the Band, the procession marched to Lyceum Hall, where the following programme was carried out:

1. Selection, National Band.
2. G. A. R. Ritual Services, Conducted by Post 33.
3. Singing, Lotus Glee Club.
4. Invocation, Rev. D. D. Winn.
5. Singing, Lotus Glee Club.
6. Address, Commander Post 33.
7. Singing, Lotus Glee Club.
8. Oration, Comrade B. F. Whittemore.
9. Singing, "America," Led by Band, audience joining.
10. Benediction, Rev. D. D. Winn.

The hall was filled with people so that there were no spare seats left for quite a throng who were anxious to enter. The music by the Lotus Glee Club was very fine, and the address by Commander Warren of Post 33 was listened to with marked atttention by the large assembly. It was appropriate and good, as were all the exercises. The oration by Hon. B. E. Whittemore was a masterpiece of eloquent and patriotic composition. Memorial Day here has never had a better orator. His theme of course was the war, those who participated in it, the sacrifice made by them to preserve the Union, the heroic dead, the meaning of Memorial Day, the duty of the survivors and the Nation's duty to them and to the widows and orphans of the lost on southern battlefields, etc. It was pitched on a loyal key and sustained by genuine eloquence throughout. A beautiful tribute was paid by the orator to the memory of the great and successful chieftain, Grant, which elicited enthusiastic cheers and demonstrations of approval by the audience. There were many pathetic passages in the oration and others that had a true ring of patriotism and loyality to country in them, and from first to last frequent bursts of applause compelled the speaker to pause until silence was restored.

At the close of the services in the hall Post 33 escorted Post 161 to their headquarters and then returned to G. A. R. Hall, where an excellent dinner had been provided by the Ladies' Relief Corps, which was enjoyed by the Post and a large number of invited guests. The after-dinner exercises were very interesting. Fine music was furnished by the National Band; Commander Warren introduced in neat remarks Mr. Charles McDonald as President, who accepted the Chair in a handsome address to his fellow soldiers. Speeches were made by Hon. B. F. Whittemore, Col. Lounsbury of Cambridge, the true-blue William B. Harris, Rev. D. D. Winn, Rev. Mr. Wright, Thomas H. Hill, Esq., and others. They were all spirited, eloquent and aroused the enthusiasm of the company to a high pitch. An hour or two was very pleasantly spent in the hall, at the end of which the exercises of Memorial Day were brought to a close.

Post 161 assembled at Armory Hall where a collation was served, and speeches made. A very pleasant season was spent by all present.

Thus passed Memorial Day in Woburn, and everyone conceded the fact that it was the best that has been observed here for years.

Statistics show that more people die of consumption than from any other cause. Slight colds are the true seeds of consumption. Beware of the slightest cough. Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam stands without a peer. Trial size only 10 cents; large bottles 35 cents.

The Board of Trade.

There was a good attendance at the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trade on last Tuesday evening. It ought however, to be full at each weekly session. The Committee numbers twenty-four members and there is no good reason why all, or nearly all, could not attend its meetings.

There were no committee reports presented nor much business transacted. Lulls come to the transaction of all such organizations, and the last gathering of the Executive Board seemed to have experienced one. But there is plenty of work brewing, and it will show itself erelong.

The evening was devoted to the discussion of railroad accommodations provided by the B. & L. Company for this place. The talk was earnest and nearly every one present participated in it.

Mr. F. H. Lewis, Chairman of the sub-committee on Business, submitted a paper which he had prepared at considerable time and labor showing the passenger transportation facilties of Woburn as compared with those of other towns and cities of about her population and distance from Boston, which was not a favorable exhibit for the B. & L. Company's interest in the prosperity of the largest and best paying place on their line between Boston & Lowell. Mr. Lewis had not his paper fully completed, but the ground canvassed by him plainly demonstrated to those who heard his statements and considered the figures he gave that the B. & L. management are not doing the fair and honorable thing by our town. The table when completed by Mr. Lewis will be laid before the officers of the road by the Board of Trade's Railroad Committee of which Mr. James Skinner is Chairman. This will be done next Tuesday.

The withdrawal of the 10.40 p. m. train the meeting regarded a serious blow. That train is of vastly more importance to the town than the 9.27, which is really of less account than almost any other of the inbound evening trains. The members were very pronounced in their censure of the Company for taking off that train, for which they had good reason.

There is also a lack of through northern trains as may be easily demonstrated by referring to the time-table. Indeed, it was the voice of the Executive Committee, made clear at last Tuesday evening's meeting, that the B. & L. R. R. Co., are neglecting or ignoring Woburn, and that something must and will be done about it at once.

The meeting closed while this important matter was still being considered.

A Plea.

WOBURN, June 2, 1886.

EDITOR OF JOURNAL:—In behalf of my sex I would like to be heard through your paper. It seems to me that the gentlemen of this town who have wives and daughters do not realize to what they are subjected on the streets of Woburn.

If every building in town is to be granted a license then the officers should be more vigilant that order should be kept on the streets. If men must drink they should be made to suffer for it and kept off the sidewalks. A lady, young or old, cannot, unattended, safely pass up or down the sidewalks of an evening on the Main street without hearing the vilest of language and oaths of the most dreadful kind. Perhaps you will say ladies should not be on the street unattended.

It is not every lady that has a gentleman at her "beck and call," and I do not see why it is not perfectly proper for a lady to attend an evening meeting or go to the Library between the hours of seven and nine without be obliged to come in contact with such hoodlums as are allowed on our streets.

I hope the officers will see to it that law and order prevails and if they don't then the Board of Trade, which consists of our husbands and sons, should insist that so much drunkenness should not be allowed on the streets. I hope this will call the attention of the law-abiding people of this place.—SMITH.

To Business Men.

For an advertising party the JOURNAL will soon print a carefully prepared index of leading and active houses of Woburn, for circulation.

This index will offer unusual advantages to our business and professional men to widely represent their interests.

The party will call and explain the nature of the novel enterprise, who expects our live business men will give it their hearty support.

The butcher does have some funny expressions; he told his assistant the other day to break the bones in Mr. Williams' chops, and put Mr. Smith's ribs in the basket for him, and tell Mrs. Black to take Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup for her cold.

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Mrs. Mary Bowers.

Mrs. Mary Bowers, who died at Woburn, Mass., on the 24th, widow of Charles R. Bowers, after an illness of a few weeks from over-taxing both the physical and mental system, was the lineal descendent of a Revolutionary stock. She was born in Acton, Mass., was a descendant of the Haywards and Hosmers. The two young men of these names who lost their lives at the battles of Concord and Lexington in 1776 were in the line of her ancestry. Her father, Aaron Hayward, enlisted in the army in 1812 and subsequently was made captain of the Acton Davis Blues, a company that did valiant service, under the command of Captain Isaac Davis, in the first attack on the British troops at Concord bridge. Mrs. Bowers's husband enlisted in the Union army in the late rebellion, and while in the South contracted a disease which cost him his life. The deceased lady was a woman of sterling integrity of character and beloved and respected by her associates. She leaves a grown-up family of three sons and two daughters and one brother.

Fifth District.

Edward D. Hayden of Woburn will probably be again renominated by the Republicans of the 5th Congressional district if he desires the honor. He has not ranked among the pugnacious members of the House, and so far as we know he has been a good working member.—*Cambridge Press.*

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MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

UNITARIAN.—At 10.30 a. m. Rev. Arthur May Knapp of Watertown will preach in exchange with the pastor. All are invited.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL.—Services at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Holy Communion after morning service. Rev. Dr. Harris of Nashua N. H. will preach. Seats free.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 P. M.; Mouthly concert at 7 p. m. Reports on Missions. The usual meeting Wednesday and Friday evening.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; Communion service at 3 p. m; Young Peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; Missionary Concert. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7.45.

The Scandinavian Evangelical Society, Y. M. C. Rooms. Sunday, preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 m. Praise meeting at 6.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Bible Reading, Friday at 7.30 p. m. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise meeting at 4 o'clock. Boys' meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30. Scandinavian services Sunday at 10.30, Wednesday evening at 7.30. Reading Room open daily from 6.30 to 9.30 p. m., Wednesday excepted. Boys' Branch at 7.45 p. m., on Tuesdays. Sunday 9 a. m. Prayer meeting.

Danish Evang. Lutheran (St. Peters) Society, 218 Main street. Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m., praise meeting. Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock, preaching by Rev. V. A. M. Mortensen, pastor.

UNION A. M. E. Services at 11 a. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m. Regular meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7.45.

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In Waltham, June 2, at the St. Mary's Church, by Rev. Father Mahoney, assisted by Rev. Fathers Lally and Murphy, Mr. William F. Kenney of Woburn and Miss Margaret T. Guinan of Waltham.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, May 30, George Francis Cook, aged 6 days.

In Woburn, May 31, Bridget McDermott, aged 89 years.

In Farmingdale, Me., May 31, at the residence of his daughter, Mr. Thomas Freeman, formerly of Hallowell, Me., and father of Mr. James T. Freeman of this town, aged 89 years, 7 months, 5 days.



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WINCHESTER.

Dr. Tierney, a recent comer to town, will occupy the Reuben Howes house on Thompson stret.

There are, according to the school census just taken, 750 children between 5 and 15 years old in this town.

Our Board of Assessors are busy with the tax books. It is to be hoped that they will make taxes as light as possible this year. They will tell us all about it pretty soon.

The Selectmen will give a hearing to the No. Woburn Street Railway Company for privilege to extend its tracts through this town, on the 12th, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. It is expected the leave will be granted.

Mrs. Dr. Church sailed in the Cunard Steamer Pavonia, May 13, for Europe. It is her intention to spend the summer in Berlin, which offers the best opportunities for study in her particular specialty. We wish her a pleasant and profitable summer with a safe return in the fall.

A meeting is to be held at 5 o'clock on to-morrow afternoon, at the railroad station at Winchester Highlands, for the purpose of forming a religious society for the purpose of maintaining evangelical preaching, Sunday school, etc., and to organize themselves into a corporation under the laws of the State. The petition on which A. B. Coffin, Esq., issued his warrant for the meeting was signed by a large number of men and women who reside principally at and near the Highlands.

BURLINGTON.

The farmers report a fine season for planting.

Hon. John Cummings has sold the Locke Farm to Mr. W. Graham.

There was an interesting praise service, at the church, Tuesday evening.

Peas and early potatoes are remarkably forward. Several fine fields of corn have been planted, this week.

The services, at the church, last Sunday morning, were appropriate to Memorial Day. The graves of soldiers, in the cemetery, were decorated, Monday, by Messrs. G. L. Tebbetts and A. C. Nichols.

North Woburn.

Rev. C. A. Staples will preach at the Chapel in this village Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. All invited to attend.

Last week an Assembly of Knights of Labor was organized here and now numbers about 150 members. It is made up of excellent material, including a variety of workingmen, and is destined to do a great deal of good. Employes of the Chemical Works and other establishments have joined the Assembly, and others will soon come in.

The concert given in the Chapel Friday, May 25, financially was not a success, but in regard to fine musical talent displayed it was one of the very best, and deserved a better attendance. The proceeds of the concert were so small that the committee decided to give the entire sum to Prof. Skinner, who, several times before, has kindly given his services in aid of various benevolent objects. Prof. Skinner was assisted by Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gifford, Miss Mary Pierce, Miss Amy Ransom, and Master Carl Merrill.

We feel to greatly rejoice and be exceedingly glad over the rejection of the application of the North Woburnite for a liquor license by the Excise Board last Tuesday. To be sure the Board refused the license on rather curious grounds, but we North Villagers are not particular about the grounds so long as the rumseller is kept from our midst. The fact of the business is, we don't want any rumseller up here. We can get along very well without him. Our pleasant village is no fit abiding-place for such a character or his wicked traffic. This is the part of the town for nice, genteel residences. It is the home of respectable, orderly, clean people. A rumshop would be a blot on the village, and we pray the Excise Board to keep it away from us.

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To our readers who buy their foot wear in Boston, we would recommend the Shoe Store of Mr. Stetson as a most excellent place to buy all kinds of Boots or Shoes of a perfectly reliable quality, at prices that cannot fail to be satisfactory. Any lady or gentlemen for from 2 to 3 dollars a pair can purchase from Mr. Stetson a boot or shoe that will give complete wear in every respect. His stock is large and well adapted to suit those who want a good article at a medium price. Stetson's Old Established Stand, 158 Hanover Street, right off the corner of Blackstone.

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LITERARY NOTICES.

The June number of *The Musical Herald* published by O. Ditson & Co., Boston, contains a large amount of interesting reading matter and musical news, besides several pieces of new music. The magazine is handsomely printed and ably conducted.

Japanese Letters.

Boston Globe: "A reader of the *Globe* named Talbot sent me a box of 'Hak-ka' for Hay Fever. I have had seven years of sneezing, coughing, swearing, and this August it began more virulent than ever. I used Talbot's 'Hak-ka' three times, and although the fever was at the high tide of successful demoralization, I haven't sneezed but twice since, and that was two days ago. I don't know Talbot, I never saw Talbot; but he ought to become a millionaire in one season." HOWARD.

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great relief. It has entirely restored me to health." James French, Atchison, Kans., writes: "To all persons suffering from Liver Complaint, I would strongly recommend Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I was afflicted with a disease of the liver for nearly two years, when a friend advised me to take this medicine. It gave prompt relief, and has cured me." Mrs. H. M. Kidder, 41 Dwight st., Boston, Mass., writes: "For several years I have used Ayer's Sarsaparilla in my family. I never feel safe, even

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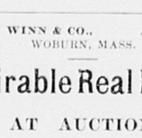
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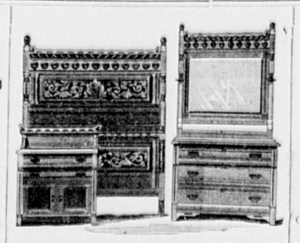
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MRS. B. A. STEARNS

Wishes to inform the public that she will commence business at her store

Cor. of Pleasant and No. Warren Sts.,

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WOBURN SHOE STORE,

197 Main Street,

2d door above P. O. Fine line of A. P. Smith's Kid Button Boots.

PRIOR & MANN.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Samuel C. Skelton, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Samuel Skelton, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, the executrix named in said will having declined said trust, and that he may be exempt from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of June instant, at nine o'clock, in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

4-3 S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Lucretia W. Kendall, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Lewis L. Whitney, the executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Legatees, Devisees and others interested in the estate of Joshua Seward, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, testate,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, John W. Johnson, Administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell the whole of the second parcel of the real estate of said deceased described in said petition, being the farm in Woburn, for the payment of debts, legacies and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

23-3 S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

TO LET.

3 NEW HOUSES: 8 Rooms each: pleasantly located on Chestnut street: Rent reasonable. Inquire of JAMES SKINNER, of James Skinner & Co.

TOWN WARRANT.

Town of Woburn.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Woburn, in said County, GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Woburn, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet at Lyceum Hall, in said Woburn, on TUESDAY, the eighth day of June, A. D. 1886, at seven and a half of the clock, P. M., to hearand act on the following articles, viz:

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To see if the Town will ratify and confirm, as its own act and deed, the conveyance made by James N. Dow, Treasurer, to John A. Weldon, of a certain parcel of land on High street, which conveyance is dated December 17, 1885, and recorded with Middlesex (So. Dist.) Deeds, Book 1662, Page 378, and will authorize a release to said John A. Weldon of any right, title or interest which the Town now has in and to the premises described in said conveyance.

ART. 3. To hear and act on the report of the Committee appointed at the last annual Town Meeting to revise the Town By-Laws, and to take such further action as may be deemed necessary for the revision of said By-Laws.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will give a confirmatory deed to the North Woburn Street Railroad Company of a certain piece of land on Main street, in North Woburn, sold by the town to said company, Sept. 17, 1873.

ART. 5. To hear and act upon the report of Selectmen and School Committee, appointed at the last annual town meeting, to investigate and report on town property situate on Common street, being subject matter of Article 16 of Warrant for annual meeting.

ART. 6. To see if the Town will direct that the tree, now standing at the intersection of Main and Pleasant streets, near northeast corner of the Common, be removed, or do anything in relation to the same.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by causing an attested copy of the same to be posted up at each of the Government Post Offices in town, and published in the Woburn *Advertiser* and WOBURN JOURNAL, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and the seal of the Town affixed, this 26th day of May, A. D. 1886.

LAWRENCE READE,
WILLIAM C. KENNEY,
WILLIAM JOHNSON,
JOHN FERGUSON,
CHARLES A. McDONALD,
JOHN A. DOHERTY,
MICHAEL GOLDEN,
WILLIAM BEGGS,
THOMAS H. HILL,
Selectmen of Woburn.

A true copy: Attest,
CHARLES K. CONN, *Constable of Woburn.*

TOWN OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.

Woburn, June 3, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that MAURICE DWYER has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as an Innholder of the first class, at Caulfield building, so-called, situated at the junction of Main street and Buckman street, in said Woburn, with entrance on Buckman street, in all the rooms of said building, except that used on first floor as a grocery store, and now in occupancy of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded northerly by Buckman street; easterly by Main street; southerly by land of Celia Fitzpatrick, and westerly land of James Doyle.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.

Woburn, June 3, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that JEREMIAH DWYER, has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class, at his dwelling-house on Buckman street, in said Woburn, in the basement of said dwelling. The land on which said building stands is bounded northerly by land of James H. Sheehan heirs; easterly by said Buckman street; southerly by land of Owen Gallagher, and westerly by a private way.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

Town of Woburn.

MISSING RECORDS.

The records of the SCHOOL COMMITTEE previous to 1876, have been missing for several years, and any information in regard to them would be very acceptable to the Board.

F. B. RICHARDSON, Sec.

TOWN OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
No. 173 MAIN STREET.

WOBURN, MASS., May 25, 1886.

The North Woburn Street Railroad Company having applied for location for additional tracks in the Town of Woburn, on Main, Pleasant, Common, Burlington, Bedford and Willow streets, notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be given at this office, on **Saturday, June 12, 1886, at 4 o'clock, P. M.,** as required by Public Statutes.

By order of Board of Selectmen,
THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

Street Railroad Hearing.

To the Honorable Selectmen of Winchester.

GENTLEMEN:—The North Woburn Street Railway Company having obtained in amendment to its Charter, whereby it is now authorized to extend its tracks throughout the whole of the Town of Woburn and into and throughout the Town of Winchester, hereby petition your honorable Board that you will grant to the said Company the right to lay its tracks, with suitable curves, turnouts and switches in the Town of Winchester, as follows:

From the division line between the town of Woburn and Winchester on Main street to and crossing the tracks of the Boston & Lowell R. R. Corporation and continuing on said Main street to the junction of Main and Grove streets, thence by the said Grove street to the division line between the towns of Winchester and Medford.

Respectfully submitted,
NORTH WOBURN STREET R. R. Co.
By Frank H. Monk, Treas.

On the foregoing petition, it is ordered that a hearing be given all parties interested at the Selectmen's Room in Winchester, on Saturday, June 12th, 1886, at 3 o'clock, P. M.

ALBERT AYER,
D. O. BLANCHARD,
S. W. TWOMBLY,
Selectmen of Winchester.

Winchester, May 24, 1886.

Town of Woburn.

COLLECTOR'S SALE

—OF—

REAL ESTATE FOR NON-PAYMENT OF TAXES.

In conformity with the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the owners and occupants of the following described parcels of Real Estate, situated in the Town of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes on each of said parcels assessed for the year 1885, according to the list committed to me, as Collector of Taxes of said Woburn, by the Assessors of taxes of said Woburn, for said year, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered at public auction for sale by the Collector of said Woburn, at the office of the Collector, No. 172 Main street, Woburn, on THURSDAY, July 15, 1886, at 2 o'clock, P. M., for the payment of said taxes, together with interest from October 15, 1885, and the lawful cost and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

RESIDENTS.

PATRICK BISHOP HEIRS.—About 7-16 of an acre of land and buildings on Washington street, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by other land of said heirs, southerly by a private street, westerly by land now or late of one McKenna and easterly by said Washington street.
Tax of 1885 $8 40

EDWARD CLARK.—About 1500 square feet of land and buildings, situated on Centre street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by land of Rose Connolly, southerly by land formerly of the late George Flagg deceased, easterly by land of Patrick Donavan, westerly by said Centre street.
Tax of 1885 $9 24

JOB CURTIS.—About one acre of land and buildings situate on School street and bounded as follows viz:—Northerly by land of James McFeeley, northeasterly, easterly and southerly by land of Joseph M. Eaton and westerly by said School St.
Tax of 1885 $15 12

EDWIN EATON.—About 5-16 of an acre of land and buildings, situate on Pearl street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by Pearl street, westerly by land of Rhoda B. Greeley, southerly and easterly by land now or formerly of Bond and Tidd.
Tax of 1885, $15 96

REUBEN GREEN.—About ¾ of an acre of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Pearl street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Pearl street, easterly by land of Rhoda B. Greeley, southerly by land now of formerly of Bond and Tidd, and westerly by land of Elijah Rollins.
Tax of 1885, $16 80

LUCY A. JONES.—About one acres of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Main street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by Main street, northerly by land of C. H. Nichols, easterly by other land of said Jones, southerly partly by land of Town of Woburn, and partly by land of George Perry.
Tax of 1885, $23 52

Also, about one and one-half acres of land, situate on Main street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by Main street, northerly by land described, northerly partly by land of one Nichols, partly by land of one Tyler, partly by land one Flint, easterly and southerly by land of George Perry.
Tax of 1885, $2 52

ROBERT W. KING.—About 5,285 square feet of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Green street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Green street, easterly by land of George E. Swan, westerly by land now or formerly of Ella S. Kellen, and southerly by land now or formerly of one Fowle.
Tax of 1885, $42 35

JOHN H. NAYEN.—About 12,000 square feet of land, situate on Pond street, bounded as follows, to wit:—Northerly by Pond street, easterly by land of Timothy O'Connors, southerly by land of Mary Lavigne, and westerly by land of heirs of Moses A. Tyler, deceased.
Tax of 1885, $10 08

PETER O'BRIEN.—About one-half acre of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Main street, bounded as follows, to wit: Northerly by land of Catherine Meehan, easterly by said Main street, southerly and westerly by land formerly J. B. Winn.
Tax of 1885, $5 88

SUSAN M. PARKS.—About one and a quarter acres of land with the buildings thereon situate on Minot street and bounded as follows viz:—northerly by land of John Williams, southerly by land of Sarah E. Pierce westerly by land of Geo. Poole, easterly by said Minot street.
Tax of 1885 $15 96

GEORGE PIERCE.—About 15 acres of land situate on Main street and bounded as follows, viz:—northerly, partly by land of town of Woburn, partly by land of Lucy A. Jones and partly by land of owners unknown, easterly by the old Middlesex Canal, southerly by land of F. C. P. Wheeler and westerly by Main street.
Tax of 1885 $50 12

Also about 3¼ acres of meadow and tillage land near Nichols street, bounded as follows, to wit:—northerly by land of heirs of Oliver Fisher, southerly by land of Jonathan Thompson, easterly by land of J. O. Cummings and westerly by land of heirs of Albert Thompson.
Tax of 1885 $18 48

RUFUS POOLE.—About ¼ acre of land and buildings thereon situate on Traverse St., and bounded as follows, to wit: northerly and easterly by land of heirs of Albert Thompson, westerly by land of Jonathan Thompson, and southerly by said Traverse street.
Tax of 1885 $13 94

JOHN SMITH.—About 5 acres of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Montvale Avenue, and bounded as follows, viz: southerly by land of S. B. Holden, easterly by land of Sherman Converse, northerly partly by land of one Coakley partly by land of heirs of J. B. Converse and partly by land of Rufus Smith and westerly by land of Timothy Mahoney and said Montvale Avenue.
Tax of 1885 $25 56

Also, about 1-16 of an acre of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Centre street, and bounded as follow, viz:—Northerly by land formerly of James Begley, southerly by land of John Connolly, easterly by land of Patrick Smith, and westerly by Centre street.
Tax of 1885, $28 56

GEORGE H. WEST.—About ¼ of an acre of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Franklin street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Franklin street, easterly by land of Edward Simonds, southerly by land of Joseph R. Green, and westerly by Park street.
Tax of 1885, $43 68

HENRY K. WHITE.—About ¼ acre of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Vernon street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by said Vernon street, northerly and westerly by land formerly of Charles S. White, and southerly by land of Joseph G. Pollard.
Tax of 1885, $30 24

CHARLES T. DEARBORN.—About 27,837 square feet of land, with the buildings thereon, situate on Elm street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Elm street, northerly by a private way leading easterly out of said Elm street, easterly and southerly by land of Jonathan Thompson.
Tax of 1885, $52 08

NON-RESIDENTS.

JOTHAM F. HILL.—About 3-16 of an acre of village land with the buildings thereon, situate on and southerly side of Broad street, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Broad street, southerly by land now or formerly of Sean K. Ellis, westerly by land of Annie J. Ferrin, and easterly by land of Town of Woburn.
Tax of 1885, $32 76

Also, about 7,528 square feet of land and buildings thereon on Montvale Avenue, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by Montvale Avenue, easterly by a private way leading southerly out of said Avenue, westerly and southerly by land of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank.
Tax of 1885, $24 36

ANNIE E. MCCAFFREY.—About 4¼ acres of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Pine street, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by said Pine street, northerly by land of Thomas Day, westerly by land of George W. Allen, and southerly by land of Ward L. Dennis, et als.
Tax of 1885, $10 08

JOHN G. MAGUIRE,
Collector of Taxes.

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SPECTACLES & EYE-GLASSES!

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Julia A. Sawyer late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to George E. Fowle of Woburn;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed, given by Samuel Burrows of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Leonard Thompson (senior), dated June 20, A. D. 1878, and recorded with Middlesex (So. Dist.) Deeds, Book 1478, Page 558, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Saturday, the twelfth day of June, 1886, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, and therein described as follows, namely:—A certain lot of land containing one-fourth acre, more or less, with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situate about one-third of a mile from the Common in said Woburn, in a southeast direction therefrom, and is bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by Prospect street, about sixty feet; northerly, on land of Felix Riley, one hundred and twenty feet; westerly by a ditch, on one Hosmer's land, sixty feet, and southerly, on land of J. E. Littlefield, one hundred and twenty feet. Terms at sale.

LEONARD THOMPSON, Assignee and present holder of said Mortgage.

J. W. JOHNSON, Attorney.

Woburn, May 18, 1886.

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Woman's Column.

The mission of woman on earth! to give birth
To the mercy of Heaven descending on earth.
The mission of woman: permitted to bruise
The head of the serpent, and sweetly infuse,
Through the sorrow and sin of earth's registered curse,
The blessing which mitigates all: born to nurse
And to soothe, and to solace, to help and to heal
The sick world that leans on her.

"No girl," says Miss Peabody "ought to marry till she meets with some one whom she feels to be the satisfaction of her idea in the spirit, if not entirely so in the form of his character; nor ever to sacrifice to circumstances or personal influence her absolute freedom to choose for herself.

It is all right for a young man intending matrimony to find out whether the young girl can cook. But it is still more important for the girl to find out whether the young man is capable by education and good habits to provide supplies for the kitchen.

At a recent hearing before the committee on the judiciary in Washington, a senator was asked if he would not favor woman suffrage. "Ah, no," he replied. "I am not converted to woman suffrage. I have old fashioned ideas, and I am too old to change." "Then, sir," she answered, "if you are too old to change, you are too old to legislate."

Stout old General Spinner who first gave government employment to women by hiring them to count money in the register's office, certainly planted a fruitful seed. There are now about 4000 women in the government service at Washington including 1349 in the Treasury Department.

Women as Overseers of the Poor.

There is now before the legislature a bill providing that women may be elected overseers of the poor. It doesn't put it in just that way, but that is its intent. We hope it may become a law. A woman or two on the board would never harm it, and the prospect is that the feminine element would be a source of good. The ladies might at times be unduly influenced by smooth talking applicants for aid, but they would never pass bills for theatre parties under the guise of investigations, nor would they keep paupers on the list for the sake of bringing trade to their grocery stores. Running a poor department is much like housekeeping on a large scale, and a women can do as well, to say the least, as a man at managing household affairs.

Helena, Mon., has a woman superintendent of schools who has Indian blood in her veins. She is highly educated and has a decided dramatic talent.

Speaking of the report that Miss Alice Jordin, who will stand high in the Yale Law School class that graduates this year, would receive the degree that she will be entitled to, one of the professors says that the Yale corporation had never granted a degree to a woman, and probably never would. Never is a long time. It once seemed that Connecticut would never pay Prudence Crandall anything for destroying her property and boycotting her out of the State, but it did give her something last year.

Yale's woman law student, Miss Alice Jordin, who is the first and only one ever educated there, made a plea before the moot court Saturday. The novelty of the affair drew a great crowd, and the young woman acquitted herself so well that the applause and praise were unbounded.

Miss Isola Van Diest, M. D., the first woman to take a medical degree in Belgium, has been endeavoring for several years to obtain the necessary legal authorization to practice. "Writing recently to a correspondent, she says: "I am delighted to be able to inform you that I have passed the examination imposed upon me and have surmounted all the obstacles thrown in the way of women who would exercise the profession of a physician. I am at last established, and enjoy all the privileges of a Belgian doctor. Many young women are now in our universities, and one of them has just succeeded in becoming a pharmacist."

Six young women graduated recently from the Philadelphia College of Dental Surgery. This is just as it should be. Ladies should be cared for by ladies, so far as possible.

Miss Geneva Armstrong, one of the teachers of music in Elmira College, has invented and patented a device for feeding and watering cattle while they are journeying in cattle cars.

An effort will be made to secure a pension for an aged widow in Portsmouth familiarly known as "Aunt Ann," who accompanied her soldier husband through the Mexican war and administered to the wounded and dying on many of the battlefields of that conflict.

Thousands Say So.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers.' Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by Wm. W. Hill.

Let no man think lightly of evil, saying in his heart: "It will not come nigh me." Let no man think lightly of good, saying in his heart: "It will not benefit me." Even by the falling of water drops a water pot is filled.

A Burglar Captured.

This morning about two o'clock, John Wood, the well-known plumber who resides on Main street, was awakened by hearing glass break. On getting out of bed he received a blow on the head. He immediately grappled with the burglar, and after a terrible struggle succeeded in holding him until his wife obtained help. On being searched at the station, Mr. Wood's watch and wallet was found on his person. He gave the name of Robert Terry. The broken glass proved to be a bottle of Sulphur Bitters which had almost cured Mrs. Wood of rheumatism.—Exchange.

Times of general calamity and confusion have ever been productive of the greatest minds. The purest ore comes from the hottest furnace; the brightest flash from the darkest clould.

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New Books.

D. Lothrop & Co. have just issued three books for girls which will prove not only fascinating to them but extremely attractive to older members of the household, notably the mothers and all specially interested in the welfare of girls. Though alike in their main purpose of proving helpful and useful to girls, there is decided originality in each of these three little volumes, and their construction and general treatment are altogether different.

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As well as the handsomest, and others are invited to call on Charles H. Buss and get *free* a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, a remedy that is selling entirely upon its merits and is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Price 50 cents and $1.

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Why every one needs, and should take, Hood's Sarsaparilla in the spring:—

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Of the Bank of Waverly, Iowa, says: Sulphur Bitters saved my life. For ten years I suffered from Catarrh and Liver Complaint; I lost forty-five pounds and was growing worse rapidly. I had lost all faith in medicine, but hearing your Bitters so well recommended, I gave them a trial. Six bottles cured me.—Smith P. Hunt, Waverly, Iowa.

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Two sisters with their arms entwined,
there stand
Before a fortune-teller, bowed with age,
Who slowly turns with feeble, faltering
hand
The cards prophetic, like a mystic page.

One dark, one fair, and both fresh as the
morn;
One like the flower which blooms in autumn late,
The other like to Spring's pale, sad first
born,
Together there they wait to learn their
fate.

"In life, alas! I see no joy for thee,"
The gypsy said to her, the dark-eyed
maid;
"Tell me, I pray, will he at least love me?"
"Yes." "That alone is happiness," she
said.

"Love on thy heart shall shed no gladdening ray,"
The gypsy said to her with snow-white
brow;
"Shall I love him at least, tell me, I pray."
"Yes." "Then for me that will be bliss
enow."
—Temple Bar from the French.

"OUTCAST" DECORATIVE ARTS.

Leather Work and Papier Mache—Stenciling and Other Mechanical Methods.

There are certainly truly honest and original decorative arts which, so far as general appreciation is concerned, particularly that of amateurs, might as well be called lost or sham. Leather work was, till very recently, one of these. I have heard a clever woman speak of it with contempt, as a mere imitation of wood-carving, which at best produced only trumpery leaves and flowers, and "she knew all about it." But in fact she knew next to nothing about it, and much less of cuir builli and stamped work.

Papier mache is another of these outcasts, which are condemned by fashion and art-priggery as lacking in "truth," simply because very few are acquainted with its remarkably varied forms or capacity. A third is stenciling which is very little practiced save by workmen, principally because it ranks as a merely mechanical method of ornamentation, and such as is quite unworthy the attention of the painters of flowers or mirrors, or of aquarelles, which, as regards any ideal, are, perhaps, not one whit beyond Berlin wool-work. The reader who has ever seen a dozen average pupils under a third-rate teacher, all painting together with the idea in common of simply attaining a uniform and identical manner of mere execution, will agree with me when I say that it is all quite as much mere "fancy work," as the making of wax-flowers or sealing-wax coral baskets.

Now, it is characteristic of this age that, as regards the amateur, it is substituting the minor arts for mere fancy work. Such feeble painters as those of whom I have spoken, who attempt in vain some mere imitation of higher art, simply because they have not gone through such a preparatory training as the minor arts in a great measure supply, would find it impossible to produce a good vigorous piece of stenciling, because they would be deficient in the eye for effect, and the peculiar inventive power which such work demands and develops.—Art Journal.

Working Land in South Carolina.

"The great evil is that the whole system of renting and working land is out of joint. There must be a complete revolution in our industrial system. In the old times the slave-owner portioned his land year by year so as to keep its fertility up; and in the time his slaves were not in the cotton he had them gather muck or pine trash and make manure—the land kept even or gained. Now it is all done by hiring or renting, and every negro only wants his day's wages or his crop for that year, and forces it out of the land by fertilizers. Now these fertilizers do not build up land like manure does; they are nothing but chemical agents—they force the land to give out what was in it, and leave it poorer."

"Then how do the planters make any money?"

"The few who make any are doing it by using up their capital—that is, the fertility of the soil. And millions of acres have already reached a point where they yield no profit at all. The negro who works such a piece can make wages, but the owner gets nothing. I do not know ten men in the state who make money by cotton-growing alone. When you find a planter who is doing well, you will find that he is practicing law or medicine or trading in something."—"Parke" in Chicago Times.

No Inherited Titles of Nobility.

It may strike the superficial observer of Oriental usages as peculiar that in the Ottoman dominion there are no titles of nobility, no aristocracy or inherited titles. The sultan himself is no more, in the sight of the Koran, than his meanest servitor. The lowest slave to-day may become grand vizier to-morrow. In fact, many of the present ministers have arisen from the humblest walks and avocations to their exalted positions. "The poets of the east," says Saladin to the lion-hearted King Richard, "say that a valiant camel-driver is worthy to kiss the lips of a fair queen, when a cowardly prince is not worthy to salute the hem of her garment."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Fashionable Drink of the Day.

Whether it is because of the present mania for everything English or not, it is hard to say, but without doubt the fashionable drink of the day here, as in England, is tea. It is said to be a more healthful drink than coffee, which, with Americans, has heretofore had the preference, as it is more refreshing, less heating and very restorative, and, too, has the advantage of being so much more easily made. It is unquestionably the drink for brain-workers, and women who are exhausted with the laborious duties of social life find it a delightful stimulus, whereas coffee has the effect of making them feel dull and heavy.—Cor. New York World.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria,

Let grace and goodness be the principal loadstone of thy affections. For love which hath ends will have an end, whereas that which is founded on true virtue will always continue.

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Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh, it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which we sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 5c. and $1.00. *Trial size free.* Charles H. Buss, Druggist.

PENNSYLVANIA'S WILD-TURKEY EAT.

A Backwoods Festivity That the Pot Hunter Is Fast Destroying.

There are few localities in the eastern states where the wild turkey continues to make its haunts, although it was once common game from the Schuylkill to the Allegheny river and the tier of northern Pennsylvania counties. The wild and desolate sides of the Blue mountains, which hem in the southern portion of Schuylkill county, still afford such feeding and breeding places as wild turkeys covet, and the birds are found there in numbers sufficient to make the hunting of them profitable and enjoyable sport. The region is sparsely populated, the inhabitants being rude and rugged woodmen, and their families, many of them descendants of the old Pennsylvania Dutch stock, and all honest and hospitable. Among them are scores of men who have become famous in their localities as wild-turkey hunters, and who make their homes and cabins in the mountain wilds.

One of the rare pastimes of the winter season in those backwoods neighborhoods is to visit in parties the cabins of the hunters and have a "turkey eat." None of the mountain sportsmen can ever be found without a fat and well-frozen wild turkey hanging in his cellar, as the cave excavated in the side hill, or the rude stone inclosure near the cabin, is called. The best of cider, a liberal supply of "paan-hoss" and head cheese, and the sweetest of rye bread and butter always keep company with the turkey in the cellar. "Paan-hoss" is strictly a Pennsylvania Dutch delicacy, and is made of the rich juices which are left after boiling the ingredients for head cheese, and which are thickened to a thick paste with buckwheat flour. The paste is pressed in forms until cold, and is served in slices.

The cabins of these jolly mountaineers are built of logs, the chinks being filled with coarse mortar mixed from the soil, and which become very hard when dry. A huge stone chimney occupies one end of the cabin on the outside. Banks of earth and hemlock or pine boughs are heaped about the outside, and sometimes ranks of cordwood are piled up almost to the eaves, the better to keep out the cold, which is intense in these elevated regions. There is only one room, and a description of these backwoods interiors answers for all. The fireplace is the inside of the huge stone chimney. Here and there on the bare floor bear and deer skins may be seen, with two or three dogs dozing on them in the light and warmth of the blazing fire that illuminates the whole room. The walls dark and smoky, and guns and the traps of the sportsman occupy pegs and shelves.

On the arrival of visitors to enjoy a "turkey eat" the host at once places a turkey—which is generally in readiness—in a spit over a fire of hickory logs in the fireplace, and attends to it carefully while his guests enjoy the cider that appears before they are comfortably settled in the room. The turkey ready for the table, the hunter places it, crisp and savory, on a large tin platter, and the guests carve, each for himself, such bits as they prefer. The tempting morsels are eaten from tin plates, and sometimes from large birch chips or bark fashioned into convenient shapes.—New York Sun.

The Hereditary Principle in China.

While we were discussing what to do with our hereditary legislators we might do worse than examine the system which prevails in China with regard to the nobility. It appears that in that country the members of a noble family of the generation are a degree lower in rank than those of the previous generation and a degree higher than those of the succeeding one. Thus (to use our own forms, as being more familiar) the son of a duke would be a marquis, the latter's son an earl, and so on, until finally the family merged in the community. If a member of one generation distinguishes himself by eminent public services, he can of course be elevated to the rank of his father or grandfather, and the family will commence anew to descend the scale; so that a family will remain a noble one as long as its members continue to deserve the distinction, otherwise it disappears in the course of a few generations into the masses, until (if ever) one of its members again elevates it.

The exceptions to the rule are the family of Confucius, who are hereditary dukes, and that of Koxinga, a famous seaman of the seventeenth century, half-conqueror, half-pirate. Our ancestors, with all their wisdom, were not, perhaps, as wise as those of the Chinese—at any rate, in dealing with the hereditary principle.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Textile Fiber from the Fir Tree.

Goods are made to a considerable extent in Saxony from a textile fiber obtained from the needles of the fir tree. The needles, young and green, are dried, and subjected to a settling and fermenting process similar to that in use for flax, which softens the woody parts and loosens them from the fiber, though the complete separation is only obtained after lengthy boiling by steam. During this boiling a by-product appears, called fir-wood oil, which is similar to turpentine. The fiber is passed through a milling machine like those used for woolen cloth, and is carded and spun like cotton. Generally the carded fiber is mixed with a certain proportion of cotton or wool, and thus a kind of merino yarn is produced, which is worked in the hosiery frames into singlets, drawers, stockings, etc., these fabrics being then sold as anti-rheumatics and as a preventive of gout.—New York Sun.

To Render Wood Incombustible.

Wood may be rendered incombustible, according to Professor Kedzie, by washing it with skimmed milk, mixed with brine. He recommends it for roofs and out-buildings.—Frank Leslie's.

Advancing to a Broader View.

The whole European and American world is undoubtedly advancing to a broader and more philosophical conception of the true meaning of religion.—Demorest's Monthly.

A Walking Skeleton.

Mr. E. Springer, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., writes: "I was afflicted with lung fever and abscess on lungs, and reduced to *a walking Skeleton.* Got a free trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which did me so much good that I bought a dollar bottle. After using three bottles, found myself once more a man, completely restored to health, with a hearty appetite, and 1a gain in flesh of 48 lbs." Call at Hill's Drug Store and get a free trial bottle of this certain cure for all Lung Diseases. Large bottles 50 cents and $1.00.

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ON A MEXICAN STREET CAR.

Protection from Brigands—Dogs and Fleas Aboard—Other Passengers.

Let us go by Mexican street car to St. Angel, if you please. And let us take the second-class car. This is the best for several reasons. In the first place it is safest from disease and vermin. For the first-class car is cushioned, while the second-class is hard wood and washed white every day. And then it only costs a "bit," while the first-class car costs a quarter. We do not want to take the third-class, because that carries freight, as a rule, and you have to stand up. Nor do we care to take the fourth class if we can help it. For the fourth-class car is a black car, and carries only the dead. Yet they all go at the same time and in a solid line, every hour, starting from the grand plaza before the palace, where all the street-cars in Mexico City start from.

You may ask, if you like, why they all start at the same time and travel in solid line. You will be politely told that it is done to protect the street cars from brigands. And, maybe, the little American lady traveler will gasp and find her smelling bottle; and, most certainly, the special correspondent gentleman will whip out his note-book, write it down, and believe the nonsense to the letter.

The secret of it all is "tips." The street car driver and conductor and collector of fares—it takes three men to run one car—only receive $1 a day—a Mexican dollar equals 75 cents—and so they have to be pretty sharp to live. One of their resources for revenue is to tell startling things to travelers, frighten them a little if they can, and so secure a "tip" out of them in return for information of this sort along the historic routes. But the truth is there is as little danger of brigands or anybody else in going from the Mexican palace to St. Angel as there is in going from the Battery to Harlem, New York.

The driver, with a big brass horn, blew a long blast in the hall, the other drivers followed, and we clamber in as the ten packed, crowded cars trundle on down the paved and brilliantly-colored street. On down the streets we trundle, going out by the very street by which Gen. Scott entered forty years ago next summer. Color! Color! cheap color, and bad art, it is true, but still it is color. These painted horses, with impossible horsemen and dancers and all sorts of things painted on the walls are "ginmills"—pulque shops. Thousands of flags flutter about and above the doors. But not the flag of Mexico. The government forbids the use of the national colors for such a purpose.

What kind of people in the cars? Look and see; listen! Cocks are crowing on either hand and under your seat. At least half a dozen big fellows—not Aztecs but Mexican "gentlemen"—have fighting-cocks in their laps and are on their way to Tacalya, where Gen. Franklin Pierce fought his way to the presidency, and where there are at least fifty monte tables and ever so many cock-fights in full blast at this season of the year. This busy, tumultuous and most popular place in all suburban Mexico is just half way to St. Angel. We pass the gates by which the Americans entered up the long, lofty and graceful aqueduct, like that one in ruins at Rome, only smaller; on, on, out the long lane of trees, over the "causeway" on which Cortez fought and where so many of his men found muddy graves with their loads of gold; on, to the base of Chapultepec. And the red-headed and belligerent roosters crowing and strutting, trying to get at each other as much as they can.

There are at least a dozen dogs in the cars. They growl and bark and snarl. But they are too lazy to fight, these dozen Mexican dogs. Heavens! From the fleas climbing up your legs and turnins somersaults there you would think there was nothing but dogs and fleas in the car. This is a good place to tuck your pantaloons inside your boots.

"Chapultepec!" cries the conductor. And the driver blows his brass horn. The crowded cars stop in a park. Some old Mexican women with heavy baskets get out with great effort, every man helping them. Sometimes a pretty Mexican, Spanish, or half-Indian girl gets in or out. If she is very pretty you must not notice her much. You may give her a seat if you like; but it is bad taste to even look at her for a second. She, on her part, will not lift her eyes to yours all day; nor will you be permitted, under the laws of politeness here, to speak to her or glance at her, or even seem to know she is near you. But, if you are very polite and want to do some a favor, you are permitted to exhaust your attentions on the old and ugly ones to your heart's content, and these are plenty. Yes, we can teach these people down here by the warm seas to plow, to plant, to cut grass, make money and machinery; but for solid, and honest, and unselfish politeness commend me to the Mexicans. The poorest Mexican in all this latitude can teach any New York American good manners any day in the year.—Joaquin Miller's Letter in Chicago Times.

The Earth's Store of Electricity.

I was speaking with Mr. Sobolewsky, superintendent of the St. Louis Gaslight company, the other day, and told him laughingly, that I wouldn't be surprised to see the time come around when pipes would be run down into the ground and electricity would be pumped out like oil or like water from an artesian well. Mr. Sobolewsky, who is quite an expert electrician, said there was nothing so very funny about that as to make it laughable; that there was a general opinion among scientists that there was a store of electricity in the earth and that some means of reaching and applying it would some day be arrived at. He told me, what surprised me, too, that lamp posts and iron buildings, when they stand any time become magnetized, and will cause a perceptible deflection of the needle.—Globe-Democrat.

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Will give no hint
Of evil hidden,
And unforbidden
The birds will bring
Their mates to sing.

Then why should we do less?
Kind Nature deigns to bless
Their graves with flowers in bloom.
Then let us not presume
To say one word of blame;
Let silence round their name
Forever cling,
And while birds sing,
We hope forgiven
Is all in Heaven,
And praise the rose
That o'er them grows.

—L. F. S. B.

NORTH WOBURN IN 1820.

No. 2.

The house next north of that of Thomas Poole in 1820, was the very old house, now known as the Rumford House. It was occupied by Willard Jones, father of the late B. F. Jones. The wife of Mr. Jones was a first cousin of Count Rumford and a daughter of Hiram Thompson from whom she inherited the property. The barn belonging to this historic house, in 1820, as also long before that time, stood on the opposite side of the street, a few feet south of Hanson's Drug Store. Some years ago, it was moved from this location and placed in the rear of the two new houses, erected the past year near the Flagg or Brooks house, and torn down a few months ago.

The old shop that stood in the rear of the Rumford House, over a cellar that was filled last summer, was moved, many years ago, to a location on Pearl street between the house of J. P. Downing, and the Burlington line, where it was changed into a dwelling-house, and has been the home of several families, the last being that of Mr. Oren Sanborn, and Mrs. Sanborn's father and brother, the Osgoods.

Proceeding from the Rumford House, we come to the old Tay house, commonly known as the Capt. Nichols, house, a very old house, and, in 1820, as for many years subsequently, occupied by Capt. Stephen Nichols. Next, we come the Lilley Eaton house, also very old, and occupied in 1820, by Lilley Eaton, a bachelor, and Phœbe and Ruth Eaton, his two maiden sisters. The house is said to have been built by John Lilley into whose family one of the older Eatons married. A little farther on, and on the opposite side of the street, is the Lot Eaton house, lately occupied by his son, Joseph Eaton, and now by Mr. Anderson. The house was originally built on a site a little south of the old Tay tavern, more recently the Ruel Carter place, but, many years ago, was removed to its present location, and long occupied by Lot Eaton, the father of a numerous family.

Where now stands the house of the late E. H. Turner, there stood, in 1820, what was known as the "Gov." Brown house. Why he was called Governor, I never knew. His son, Josiah, succeeded him in the house and, later, Nathan Wyman, James Tweed and many others.

Farther on, was an old Wyman house occupied by John Buxton, Sen., but in later years, known as the Edward or "Ned" Richardson house, still standing, and owned by Dexter Carter.

Near the junction of Main and Mountain streets, but high up on the Eastern bank of the Canal which, at that point, was near the street, there stood in 1820, a house called by the name of Converse, but occupied by John Buxton, Jr. In 1807 it was the home of John Lyman, another of the Clapp house victims.

The last house, on Main street, in Woburn, in 1820, was the Tay tavern, where now stands the house of the late Ruel Carter. Thts house was a very important one from 60 to 70 years and more ago. Separated from the Canal only by the street, it was a convenient stopping-place for the numerous men employed on the rafts of timber bound for Boston and the boats almost constantly passing both ways. The house was probably once, perhaps originally, owned by the celebrated Tyng family, but, for many years since my own recollection, was occupied, as a public house by William Tay, Sen., and later by Capt. Kendall. William Tay, Jr., lived in a smaller house a few yards south of the tavern, and still standing.

We have now traversed the principal street of North Woburn in 1820, from Central Square, two miles, to the Wilmington line, and have found twenty-six houses, twenty of them still standing, and, in the places of all but one of the other six, more recent houses.

We can go through the other streets of 1820 much more expeditiously. West street, leading from Elm to Pearl, was, for many years, called "Penny Lane," and later, simply "the Lane." It was hardly worthy to be called even that. The only two houses which stood upon it 65 years ago, have been, until within the past year, the only two which I remember: the Bell house on the northerly side then occupied by John Eames, and the house of Mr. Fisk a little back from the south side, occupied by Stephen Eames, and his mother, the widow of John Eames, Sen. On the site of this last house was once an older house.

On Ward street, where there are now some ten or twelve dwelling-houses, there was, in 1820, not one. The street leading from Elm to Pearl on the north side of Ward Hill, and next to Elm in its importance and use, was much narrower than now and in a very poor condition, the ruts being, in a portion of it, very deep and the passing wheels sometimes sinking nearly to their hubs in the mud. This street, on the north, Elm on the east, West on the south, and Pearl on the west, were as now the boundaries of "Ward Hill," on whose summit were still traces of the lofty Liberty-pole erected by our Revolutionary fathers. Sometime previous to the stormy days of the Revolution, the hill is said to have been known as "Cleveland Hill," a considerable part of it, as well as other land in the vicinity, belonging to the old and very respectable Cleveland family which was for many years resident in town and from which has descended the President of the United States. And as I have occasion to mention this fact, I may perhaps also mention that the late President Franklin Pierce descended from another of our old Woburn families, the most distinguised branch of which lived, for several generations, in a house, whose cellar, nearly opposite the house of the Baldwins, I well remember.

Pearl street, extending from the Burlington road on the south-west to Winter street on the north, was also but little more than a cart-path. The only two houses upon it were the old Tidd house, occupied by Jonathan Tidd, Jr., the father of Jonathan and Marshall of the present time, and the old "Garrison" Snow house which occupied the site of Mr. Sevren's house and like that faced the south. It was occupied by Ebenezer Reed. Just over the brook, called Millstone brook, a few rods south of the old Snow house, was a set of bars across the road. About midway between these and the Burlington road, was a second set of bars, and near the Burlington road a third set. The principal road to Burlington was then, not this as now, but what was called the "Peach orchard road," on account of a large and then flourishing peach orchard of Mr. Baldwin on the way.

On Winter street, leading from Pearl to Wilmington line, there was but one house. It stood near the present residence of B. F. Kimball, where a more recent house occupied by a Pierce family was, a few years ago, consumed by fire. It was the home of Jephthah Munroe. On Mountain street, from Winter to Main, there was no house, though near the junction of Mountain and Main, there was a cellar, where, not long before, stood the house of a stone mason, whose name was Center.

On Alfred street, leading from Main, near Mr. Conant's to New Boston, there was one house then recently built and occupied by Jerrie Converse, Jr., but of late often called the Styles house. On New Boston street, were the houses of two old Converse families, the house of Elijah Wyman, now Charles O. Ames, of Jonas Munroe, lately James Boutwell, of Major Tay, the present occupant not known to me; the "Keimer house," near the present Chemical Works and now gone, occupied by Josiah Flagg.

On Plain street, leading from New Boston near Charles O. Ames to Richardson's Saw Mill, there was one house, very old in 1820, but still standing and, as of old, quaintly turning its back to the street. It has long been known as the Jacob Ames house. Near this old house there were, since my remembrance, a set of bars across the road, and, about midway from this point to the mill, was another set. If, in going to Reading, a man was willing to incur the trouble of removing and replacing these bars, he could reach Reading by a way shorter, probably more than a mile, than by going first south and taking the regular Reading road nearly opposite the present residence of Daniel Richardson, two thirds the distance from here to Woburn Centre.

Before dismissing the subject of the old *homes* of 1820, allow me to say a few words of the old *cellars* of the same date. I can recall at least twelve. A little south of Daniel Kimball's, and behind a large Black Walnut tree still standing on the east side of the street, there was a cellar, partly visible now, where once stood a house known as the Wyman place. On Alfred street near the late residence of A. P. Dickson, was a second, called by the name of Alford, the old way of writing Alfred. Nearly opposite the Baldwin house, was a third, called the Pierce place, the home of several generations of one of Woburn's most distinguished families. On Pearl street, a little back, and west of Mrs. Tuttle's house, was a fourth and on the site of the residence of John O. Page, was a fifth cellar, both belonging to the homes of two or three old Snow families. A little north of Mr. Neville, and not far from the bend of Pearl into Winter street, was a sixth, where was once the home of another Wyman, and on the other side a little farther on in Winter street, was a seventh, called the Sanders place. Near the late Pierce house on the same street, was once a house which was the home of one of several Simon Thompsons. At the junction of Mountain and Main streets, was a cellar I have already mentioned, as the *Centre* place. On North Maple street, about midway between the Chemical Works and Main street, was a cellar where once was the house and home of an Evans family. In the south westerly part of Rufus Poole's garden, were traces of a cellar over which had been the home of five generations of Thompsons, beginning with James the first settler.

Following the lane or cart-path which runs west from Pearl street near Winthrop W. Bennett's house, we come to another old Wyman cellar over which once stood a house of considerable note. Its deserted premises were, in my boyhood, famous among the young people for the old fashioned shrubs, as lilacs, and the now almost extinct, but very fragrant and beautiful, white and red roses which had survived the ruin of the house and were still abundant, the people seeming free to gather them and sometimes taking a root along with the flower.

Thus we see that, in the matter of streets and houses, the North Woburn of to-day is a very different place from the "New Bridge" district of 1820. Within the past 65 years, besides the houses which stood in 1820 and yet remain, there have been erected, if I correctly count, 144 dwellings, an average of two and a fraction for each year of this long term of years.

As this Association have especially in view, the culture of ornamental shade trees, it is proper to say that the fathers of the times preceding 1820, evidently thought such trees an almost indispensable adjunct to their homes. Since my remembrance, nearly every house had around it large, old, ancestral trees. These trees were limited in their variety, being generally the elm, which always had the pre-eminence, the American plane or buttonwood, three or four varieties of the poplar, and the willow, but many of them were beautiful and some were grand. Around the Baldwin house and the Wheeler house, then owned by the Baldwins, there was a variety of trees, some of which, like the linden of which perhaps two or three yet remain, were imported from England.

Before the Samuel Thompson house, were four large trees, two elms and a plane tree set out by Samuel Thompson Esq. in 1764, and an Ash set out a little later. In 1874, after standing 110 years, three of these trees were taken down. The largest of the four remains, but is fast dying and nearly dead.

Before Sheriff Thompson's house, now the Fisher home, were several large plane trees, long since gone.

And so I might go on from house to house and name, in most cases, the *kind* of trees that, since my remembrance, adorned each, but are gone, though, in some cases, they gave way for others, which we see now. I will mention in particular only one more. Before the old Tidd house on Pearl street, there is still left a very large and widespreading elm. In 1768, 118 years ago, Jonathan Tidd, the great grandfather of Jonathan and Marshall of to-day, took his son, their grandfather, then a boy of eleven years, into a distant pasture, dug up an ash and an elm, and, bringing them home, the father with the trees on his shoulder and the boy carrying the tools, set them before the house, where the elm still stands. L. T.

[*To be continued.*]

Seeking a Marriage License.

The Buffalo *Courier* tells of a gentleman of that city whose heart was won by a belle in a neighboring Pennsylvania town. An engagement followed, and in due time the wedding-day was set. The prospective groom, it appears, regarded his abnegation of bachelorhood with a sort of rueful misgiving, which increased as the days of his liberty waned. His last revolt against the shackles of matrimony occurred when he was sent to procure the marriage license, a few days before the ceremony. He sought the city official who presided over the license department, and asked, gravely:

"Is this where licenses are kept?"

"Yes, sir," answered the clerk, politely; "what kind of a license do you want?"

"Well, what kind have you got?" rejoined our friend, with superhuman gravity.

The clerk had begun to look upon his visitant as a lunatic, but he obligingly rattled off the list.

"Give you a license to drive a hack, give you a license to pull teeth or practice medicine, give you a pawnbroker's or huckster's license, give you a license to keep gunpowder in the house—"

"Stop," said our friend, quietly, "that's what I want."

"It's a curious fact," said a conductor, "that Friday is the lightest day of the week for travel. I've noticed it for years. I suppose it's because so many people have a superstition about the evil influence of that day. The effect is rrticularly noticeable on local travel where there would seem to be no other explainable rerson except popular superstition."

There is nothing more harrowing to the sympathetic mind than to hear a crying baby. Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup will instant relief to the little sufferer. For sale at all Drug Stores.

The London *Lancet* says that children who are allowed to go barefoooted enjoy almost perfect immunity from the danger of "cold" by accidental chilling of the feet, and they are altogether healthier and happier than those who in obedience to the usages of social life, wear shoes and stockings.

Our Dumb Friends.

THE INFLUENCE OF KINDNESS ON BIRDS.

Throughout the entire animal kingdom it would probably be difficult to find any creatures more susceptible to kindness and attention than birds. Affection and friendship towards us would seem indeed to be the natural characteristics of very many of the feathered tribes; and it is to a great extent only because man has in various ways caused himself to be instinctively looked upon as their enemy that they are so wild, and exhibit so much shyness as they do. In partial confirmation of this a distinguished writer tells us that in a certain part of a foreign country visited by him, and into which no man had ever before penetrated, the birds he met were so tame that he actually pushed some hawks off the branch of a tree with the muzzle of his gun and held out a pitcher of water which other birds alighted on and from which they drank. Not a few anecdotes might be related, also, showing the sympathetic influence which it is possible to acquire over birds which are not always tame. For instance, during one very hard winter, a lady living in Nottinghamshire fed some black-birds as regularly that one of them a fine bird, with a remarkably golden bill, came to answer to the name which she gave to it of Goldie, and when called would hop across the garden and feed by its self at her window; and another bird, a chaffinch, which she called "little Mother" kept up a friendship with her during a whole spring and summer. Of all birds, however, pigeons are perhaps the most sensitive, and the easiest with which to form a friendship. In Vienna there is a lady who comes every afternoon at two o'clock into St. Mark's Place to feed a flock of these birds, and, not only do these pretty creatures take the food from her hand, but even eat it from her lips. In the centre of the busy city of London too—in the yard of the Guildhall—a very large number of pigeons assemble day after day to obtain food which they find there, and are so tame that the passers-by can walk through their midst without frightening any of them away. It is said that a kind-hearted Frenchman, named Bisset, became such a favorite with the birds in the garden of the Tuileries, in Paris, that when he paid them his usual daily visit they would circle round him by hundreds, and perch on his head and shoulders, while the American naturalist Thoreau became so well-known in the woods that the birds confident that he would quietly replace them again, allowed him to take them off the branches.

The Judge was Kind.

There is in Idaho territory a judge who is well known as "Alec Smith." A woman brought suit in his court for divorce, and had the discernment to select a particular friend of her own, who stood well with the judge, as her attorney. One morning the judge called up the case, and, addressing himself to the attorney for the complainant, said: "Mr. H., I don't think people ought to be compelled to live together when they don't want to, and I will decree a divorce in this case." Mr. H. bowed blandly. Thereupon the judge, turning to another attorney, whom he took to be the counsel for the defendant, said: "Mr. M., I suppose you have no objection to the decree?" Mr. M. nodded assent. But the attorney for the defendant was another Mr. M., not then in court. Presently he came in, and, finding that his client had been divorced without a hearing, began to remonstrate. Alec listened a moment, then interrupted, saying: "Mr. M., it is too late. The court has pronounced a decree of divorce, and the parties are no longer man and wife. But if you want to argue the case right bad, the court can marry them over again and give you a crack at it."

Sandal Wood of Japan

Passing by a shop you see cords of wood cut into small blocks about six inches long. This, you learn, is nothing short of shoe timber. These cords of wood will speedily be converted into shoes of various sizes, at prices ranging all the way from four to twenty cents. One feels quite exaltered in a pair of twenty-cent shoes. The wood is called kiri, and is very light. The clogs are still further lightened by hollowing out the centre. So, in point of fact, there is little truth in calling the shoes heavy, although they appear so to the inexperienced observer. It must be admitted, though, that they are unreasonably clumsy. Sometimes the shoes worn by the ladies are lacquered, and are fastened by a velvet band passing from either side over the lower part of the instep, and between the first and second toes. With this same kind of wood is made bureaus provided with strong iron handles, and the whole box is adjustable in horizontal sections, one piled above another.

A Captain's Fortunate Discovery.

Capt. Coleman, schr. Weymouth, plying between Atlantic City and N. Y., had been troubled with a cough so that he was unable to sleep, and was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It not only gave him instant relief, but allayed the extreme soreness in his breast. His children were similarly affected and a single dose had the same happy effect. Dr. King's New Discovery is now the standard remedy in the Coleman household and on board the schooner. Free Trial Bottles of the Standard Remedy at W. W. Hill's, Drug Store.

Prof. Cleveland Abbe anticipates the time when each citizen shall have the right to pay ten cents and demand his special weather telegram, precisely as pays his two cents and demands to have his letter carried by mail. A few years ago the highest attainable proportion of correct prognostications was about eighty per cent.; now eighty-five per cent is expected.

Straw Hats! Straw Hats!

— AT —

Munroe's Clothing Store.

We offer this season an unusually fine, selected stock of STRAW HATS at REMARKABLY LOW PRICES. Please call and examine these new goods.

Also, all the latest and nobbiest LIGHT DERBYS, new shades, stylish shapes.

GENUINE MEXICAN HAMMOCKS at bottom prices.

C. M. MUNROE,

Post Office Block, - - - Woburn.

Not Afraid of Burglars.

"It's a joke on me, of course, but I'll give it to you fellows," said a Cass form man to a little group in the city hall. "I have a great fear of burglars. When I go to bed I want to know that every door and window is securely fastened. About a month ago we changed hired girls, and the new-comer was very careless about the doors at nights. On two or three occasions I came down stairs at midnight to find a window up or the back door unlocked. I therefore determined to put up a job on her. I got some false whiskers and an old rig, and one night about eleven o'clock I crept up the back stairs to her room. She was snoring away like a trooper, but the minute I struck a match she awoke. I expected a great yelling and screaming, but nothing of the sort took place. She bounced out of bed with a 'You villian!' on her lips seized a chair by the back, and before I had made a move she knocked me to my knees. Before I could get out of the the room she struck me again, and it was only after I had tumbled down the back stairs that she gave the alarm. Then she went through to my room, rapped on the door and coolly announced:

"'Mr. Blank, please get up. I've killed a burglar.'"

The Value of Knowing How.

While Judge Tracy was on the circuit, going from court his trace broke. The judge spent over half an hour trying to fix it, but to no purpose. His patience was exhausted, and he expressed his vexation in words. A negro came along, and the judge told him of his difficulty. The negro let out the trace, cut a hole in it, and the job was done.

"Why," said the judge, "could I not have thought of that?"

"Well, marster," said the negro, "don't you know some folks is jest naturally smarter than some other folks?"

"That's so," said the judge. "What shall I pay you for fixing my trace?"

"Well, marster, fifty cents will do," replied the negro.

"Fifty cents!" said the judge. "You were not five minutes at it!"

"I do not charge you fifty cents for dying it," said the negro. "I charge you twenty-five cents for dying it, and twenty-five cents for knowing how to do it."

The President

Of the Bank of Waverly, Iowa, says: Sulphur Bitters saved my life. For ten years I suffered from Catarrh and Liver Complaint; I lost forty-five pounds and was growing worse rapidly. I had lost all faith in medicine, but hearing your Bitters so well recommended, I gave them a trial. Six bottles cured me.—Smith P. Hunt, Waverly, Iowa.

The editor of a paper in Schenectady, in describing the effects of a squall upon a canal boat, says that "when the gale was at its highest, the unfortunate craft heeled to larboard and the captain and another cask of whiskey rolled overboard."

The Population of Woburn

Is about 12,000, and we would say at least one half are troubled with some affection of Throat and Lungs, as those complaints are according to statistics more numerous than others. We would advise all not to neglect the opportunity to call on us and get a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Price 50 cents and $1. Trial size free. Respectfully, Chas. H. Buss, Druggist.

The minute hand of the clock on Westminster Abbey is sixteen feet long and the hour hand nine feet. They weigh about a hundred pounds each, and are kept in motion by weights proportionally ponderous, the hands and appendages, in all, weighing about 1 1-2 tons.

With Ely's Cream Balm a child can be treated without pain or dread, and with perfect safety. Try the remedy. It cures Catarrh, Hay Fever and Colds in the Head. It is easily applied with the finger and gives relief from the first application. Price 20c.

The blood would run. I was a great sufferer from catarrh. My nostrils were sensitive to dust; at times the blood would run, and at times I could hardly breathe. I used Ely's Cream Balm. To-day I am a living witness of its efficacy.—Peter Bruce, Farmer, Ithaca, N. Y.

A Buffalo father to encourage early rising, offered a prize of money to that child who should rise earliest next morning. At a very early hour a bright little girl made her appearance, claimed and got the prize, and then went back to bed.

Ex-Mayor Latrobe, Baltimore, Md., says the best cough medicine is Red Star Cough Cure. Dr. Samuel K. Cox, D. D., of Washington, D. C., after a careful analysis pronounced it purely vegetable, and most excellent for throat troubles. Price, twenty-five cents a bottle.

CUSTOM Tailors' Misfits.

WHAT DOES N'T FIT ONE MAN WILL FIT ANOTHER.

Remember the above fact when you need Clothing; and also remember that the Clothing which the Boston Misfit Clothing Company have on sale is all work that was originally custom made by the leading Tailors of the country. Then bear in mind that we are selling these fine goods at less than half what the tailor expected to get. With our hundreds of suits we can fit you really better than the tailor can by taking your order. Better still, we can give it to you at less than half price.

EXAMINE OUR PRICE-LIST.

$45.00	Spring CUSTOM SUIT for	$23.00
40.00	" " " "	19.00
35.00	" " " "	16.00
30.00	" " " "	14.50
40.00	Custom Spring Overcoat for	18.00
35.00	" " " "	16.00
30.00	" " " "	14.00
10.00	Custom Pantaloons for	5.00
8.00	" " "	4.00

A few SPRING OVERCOATS, Silk and Satin Lined, fine finish, at fifty per cent. of their cost.

The above garments are all cut and trimmed in the latest style, and are the best productions of the leading Artist Tailors in the Union, such as have for some cause or other been uncalled for, or left on their hands on account of being a misfit. Our assorted stock enables us to fit all—large or small.

FULL DRESS SUITS FOR SALE OR TO LET.

Boston Misfit Clothing Co.

639 Washington St.,

Cor. Boylston St. Up one Flight.

Open evenings till 9 o'clock.

Cut this out so as to remember the number, 639 Washington St., cor. Boylston, up one flight.

LITERARY NOTICES.

GOLDEN DAYS for June comes to hand in the midst of golden days and is very welcome. The number is uncommonly bright, fresh and entertaining, and the young people, for whom it is especially published, and the old will enjoy its well filled pages, and numerous fine illustrations. GOLDEN DAYS is published by James Elverson at Philadelphia, and is one of the best and most popular magazines in the country.

The numbers of THE LIVING AGE for May 22d and 29th contain The Recent Progress of Astronomy, Matthew Paris, Mr. Foster, The Fame of Turner, The Buchholz Family, Thomas Love Peacock, and Archbishop Trench, A Pilgrimage to Sinai, Musical Literature, The Decay of Evangelicalism, The Limits of Enterprise, Tobacco Growing in England, with instalments of Canon Saintley's Remorse, Desmond's Destiny, This Man's Wife, and Zit and Xoe: their Early Experiences, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price (88) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4.00 monthlies or weeklies with THE LIVING AGE for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

Food for the brain and nerves that will invigorate the body without intoxicating, is what we need in these days of rush and worry. Parker's Tonic restores the vital energies, soothes the nerves, and brings good health quicker than any thing you can use.

A good many women are a good deal worse than they appear to the naked eye—nearly every one of them looks under her bed every night for a man.

Educated and Experienced.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is prepaired by C. I. Hood & Co., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass., who have a thorough knowledge of pharmacy, and many years of practical experience in the business. It is prepared with the greatest skill and care, under the direction of the men who originated it. Hence Hood's Sarsaparilla may be depended upon as a thoroughly pure,

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S Horton, 195 Main Street, A. Robie, 156 Main Street, John Cumming, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at the Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

☞ Mr. Gladstone's home rule bill for Ireland was defeated in Parliament last Monday night by just thirty majority against it. The vote was taken in the midst of intense excitement at the close of a great speech made by Mr. Parnell. A like scene has not been witnessed for a great many years in the House of Commons, if indeed a similar one was ever enacted there. Mr. Gladstone, Parnell and the Irish members took their defeat philosophically, for they know the time will come, and is nigh at hand, when home rule must be granted to Ireland, and feel that for it they can afford to wait. Although the second reading of the bill was defeated a substantial victory for Ireland was won in forcing the principle of home-rule to be recognized by Parliament and in the strength developed in its support. Nobody would have thought five years ago that the House of Commons would be brought to seriously consider the question of self government for Ireland in this century. But it has been compeled to do with the principle and its champions came tolerable near carrying it through.

☞ The Waltham *Free Press* makes a plausible argument in favor of the defeated permisive vaccination bill, but it is fallacious we think. If passed it would let down the bars that protect community, therefore its defeat was desirable and for the public good. Again if the *Free Press* will investigate the matter a little more closely it will discover that its charges against Senator Harlow had no foundation to stand on.

☞ Mr. Manning, Secretary of the Treasury, sent his resignation to the President last week but it was not accepted. He was urged to hold on until October and will remain until that time the nominal head of the Department if he does not die before, but it is said in Washington that after that date he will have no more to do with it. Mr. Manning has got about through with work, and is liable to quit it at any time.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

J. Leathe—Shoes.
G. G. Bruce—Lost.
W. E. Carter—Rink.
J. B. McDonald—Coal.
Frank A. Robbins—Circus.
W. H. Winn—English Hay.
C. B. Wood—Texas Horses.
Walbridge Bros.—Carpets, etc.
Mrs. G. M. Chever—Millinery.
First National Bank—Statement.
J. G. Maguire—App. for License.
Paine's Furniture Co.—Furniture.
George P. Rowell & Co.—Mss. Ads.
George A. Loring & Co.—Soda Fountain.
North Woburn Street Railway—Auction Sale.

— Typical June weather, including an occasional sea turn at night, has prevailed this week.

— Will the numerous readers of the JOURNAL please cast on eye over the card of Mr. J. W. Hammond.

— People find they don't miss it any where they go to Buckman & White's for good groceries at fair prices.

— William Winn & Co., advertise stock of the No. Woburn Street Railway for sale. Read the notice.

— The alarm for a fire at Holdsworth's confectionary rooms Tuesday evening didn't amount to anything.

— The ladies are respectfully invited to read Mrs. Stearns's card in this paper. She has a neat store and nice goods.

— By his advertisement it will be seen that Mr. W. H. Winn of Burlington offers a lot of the best English hay for sale.

— Copeland, Bowser & Co. still do business at the old stand, and this week they offer fine torchon laces at a bargain.

— Work on the new depot is progressing finely. It begins to look as though the building is going to be a credit to the town and R. R. Co.

— Mr. Daniel Sutherland left a curious vegetable freak at Mr. Fred Hartwell's market the other day. It seems to be another "What is It?"

— The $35.00 ten-piece Chamber Suits, selling at Paine's Furniture Company, Boston, are marvels of beauty and workmanship for the price.

— G. G. Bruce advertises "Lost" in this paper. A boy picked up the pocketbook and the best thing he can do is to return it with contents at once.

— Several members of the Unitarian church attended the South Middlesex Conference at Medford last Wednesday. They went down in Mr. Jones's barge.

— W. H. Curtis has a very large and excellent stock of harmonicas which he sells very cheap. And everything else that can be mentioned or thought of.

— There was a slight ripple of trouble at the Chemical Works a few days since, but it will probably be amicably settled. It didn't amount to much.

— Mr. Frank H. Knight, son-in-law of the late Horace Collamore, is on a visit here from California. He has many old acquaintances and friends in Woburn.

— It being so near the end of the Millinery season, Mrs. Chever proposes to do machine stitching and dress plaiting at her store No. 2, Montvale Avenue.

— The population of Woburn, by the Assessors' report just finished, is 11,871, a gain of 121 during the last year. But for the labor troubles it would have been over 12,000.

— Ice cream parties and private parties at residences patronize Holdsworth, the popular confectioner on Main street. Of icecream they do say he furnishes the boss.

— Next Sunday is "Children's day" at the churches in this village. All know what this means, and we can only add that, as usual, the exercises will be appropriate and interesting.

— Rev. D. D. Winn will preach at All Saints Chapel, Montvale, at 3 o'clock, next Sunday p. m. It will be Children's Day, and a general invitation is extended to the public.

— At the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Medical Society held in Boston last Wednesday Dr. John M. Harlow of Woburn was elected Vice-President for the ensuing year.

— Last Monday evening James McMahon and John H. Murphy were chosen Delegates to represent Division 3, A. O. H. at the State Convention held at Worcester on Wednesday.

— Some would as soon think of painting a barnyard as that part of the Wade Block that painters have been at work on this street. There would be just about as much propriety in it.

— Mr. James Skinner advertises three excellent new tenements on Chestnut street to rent. They are conveniently arranged, well finished, pleasantly located and will be let at low figures.

— Mr. J. Leathe advertises the well-known and popular Douglas shoe in this issue of the JOURNAL, of which he has a full and complete stock. He also keeps full lines of all other kinds of shoes and sells cheap.

— To readers who have been troubled in obtaining suitable glasses for reading, etc., attention is called to the superior quality sold by Ayer, the Optician, at 130 Washington St., Boston. His system of fitting is original.

— Mr. C. M. Munroe gives the public some valuable information about his large stock of new summer hats in our advertising columns. The next thing to do is to go and examine the stock, which is a good one.

— One of Mr. N. J. Simonds's men ascertained by measurement how much wire it would take to put the electric lights into Dr. Bartlett's residence, from which it is fair to conclude that the Doctor means to illuminate his house with electricity.

— In the sale of goods, wares and merchandise Prior's Woburn Bargain Store is making daily progress. Lots and lots of young married people go there and buy their housekeeping outfits. Prior keeps about everything in the Bargain Store.

— A correspondent sends word that officer Claffy, in faithfully attending to his duties last Sunday dispersed a large crowd of ball-players on Canal street which pleased the residents there. He has prevented much trouble around the Pond in the last three weeks.

— This evening a benefit party to aid and assist Mr. Daniel McDermott, who was severely injured on the railroad a short time since, will be given in Lyceum Hall, for which the National orchestra will furnish the music. The management is in good hands.

— A mathematician at our elbow has just figured it out that there is one licensed rum shop to each 200 population —men, women and children—in this town. Besides which there are numerous unlicensed ones, or it is suspected there are. How's that for high!

— The National Band Association have posters out for a grand picnic to be held in Hiawatha Grove on July 5, to which the public are referred for full information. The boys are making preparations for a jolly time, and it looks as though they would have.

— The editor of the *Advertiser*, who occupies an honorable and responsible position on the Perpetual Committee, is still reticent respecting a Fourth of July celebration here. The eye of the public is focussed squarely on him, and he will have to fish or cut bait pretty soon.

— By reference to his card in this paper it will be seen that Mr. C. B. Woods has a new car-load of Texas horses for sale. They are not the usually wild and wily Mustang, but fine animals. Those who would secure a good horse cheap will do well to give Mr. Woods a call at the Seward place on Wyman street.

— The June meeting of the Woburn Workers will be held in the parlor of the Congregational Church, on Saturday, the 19th instant, at 3 o'clock, P. M. An entertainment will be given at 4 o'clock. The May meeting was well attended, there being about 50 small folks present —making quite a towel "bee." The recitations were very interesting.

— Last Monday the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston celebrated the 248th anniversary of its organization and held its annual election of officers. Rev. Oliver A. Roberts delivered the sermon. Col. W. T. Grammer, the only member of the Company in Woburn that we know of, was unable to attend the grand affair.

— Walbridge Brothers of 87 Friend street and 23 Washington street, Boston, have a card in this paper to which we direct special attention. It is an old and reliable establishment, and a great many of our people know it is a good one to trade with for they have tried it with satisfaction. They carry prime stocks, sell cheap, and give favorable terms.

— Last week's *Advertiser* insisted in a column article, or nearly a column one, that President Cleveland's wedding would take place on June 19, whereas in truth and in fact President Cleveland was a married man when the *Advertiser* made the wild and erroneous statement. People who wish to take a reliable newspaper should call at the JOURNAL office and subscribe.

— The Massachusetts State Pharmaceutical Association held their fifth annual meeting in Horticultural Hall, Boston, last week, and on the last day the subject of establishing a fire or life association on a mutual benefit plan was discussed, and believing it feasible, a committee, of which Mr. W. W. Hill of this place was made a member, was chosen to take into consideration the entire subject matter.

— Mr. Amos Cummings's trade in dry goods, millinery and dress-making is much larger this year than last. He thought he was doing a good business last season, but his receipts, since the addition was made to his store, have grown very much indeed. The wisdom of increasing the capacity of the salesrooms has been fully demonstrated. Mr. Cummings is a live, wideawake and successful merchant.

— The hearing by the Selectmen of the application of the No. Woburn Street Railway Company for permission to lay tracks etc., will take place tomorrow at 4 o'clock P. M. President Breed, one of the largest Street Railway owners and managers in the country, and other officers of the corporation will be present. No doubt the permit will be granted, because the enterprise will be of great benefit to this town.

— After a long and painful illness Mr. Lincoln Emerson died at his residence in this village last Tuesday morning. He was born in South Woburn, now Winchester, about 56 years ago, and has resided here many years. Mr. Emerson was one of our best known and most highly esteemed citizens. He was a man of sterling integrity, large-hearted, trusted by everyone, and his death will be deeply lamented.

— Last week Prof. Vose of the Institute of Technology came out from the city to consult Librarian Cutter and works in the Library respecting one Major Whistler, who in its early history was conspicuously connected with the Boston & Lowell Railroad. Failing to get the information desired both gentlemen repaired to Mr. E. Cooper's place, and from that venerable gentleman Prof. Vose obtained the facts for which he was in search.

— A fire broke out in a double house owned by Bartholomew McDonough on Centre street, and occupied by him Thomas Kelley and Thomas Beatty, about half-past 12 o'clock last Monday morning, which did a good deal of damage. The interior of the building was pretty thoroughly gutted and its contents were nearly all destroyed. The loss on the building was about $500; insured in the Hanover for $1000. One of the tenants only had insurance on his furniture.

— The National Band will give a concert on the Common Wednesday Evening, June 16th, 1886:

PROGRAMME.

1. March. Siegfrieds. Wagner.
2. Overture. Festival. Suppe.
3. Cornet Solo. Under the Roses. Rollinson.
   J. Collins.
4. Waltz. Life is a Dream. Zikoff.
5. Medley. Bods of '85. Boettger.
6. Duett for Baritone and Cornet. Prendville.
   Larboard Watch. Sullivan.
7. Selection. Mikado. Ferrzzi.
8. Serenade. Mexican. Cacy.
9. Schottische. Little Gracie. Sousa.
10. Finale. Mother Hubbard.

P. CALNAN Jr., Director.

— A special meeting of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trade is called for Saturday evening. It is important that all the members should be present, as matters relative to the train service of the town is to be acted on. A committee is soon to present to the B. & L. R. R. Managers a petition from the citizens of Woburn praying for a radical change in the service, arrangements for which are to be perfected at the meeting. Let all be on hand early.

— At the last meeting of the First Woburn C. L. S. C., Mrs. G. S. Dodge read an interesting paper on "Arts and Artists", and Rev. Mr. Wright spoke of the advantages and explained some of the mysteries of phonography, and so clearly and enthusiastically as to awaken a desire on the part of his hearers for a further knowledge of the subject. The Circle propose going to Cambridgeport next Tuesday to spend the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fisk.

— What's in a name! Milton Luther was a pauper in Woburn in 1841, and somebody is credited in the town's account as buying a frock for him. Later on we remember Morten Humphrey and Newton Weston, both estimable persons, the former said to have perished in battle on the "Cumberland," and the other dying many years since. Can anyone tell us more about Milton Luther? We should be very happy to have them do so, for we are interested to know what became of him.

— In a report of the graduating exercises at Proctor Academy, Andover, N. H., a few days since, the Manchester *Union* has the following compliment for one of our Woburn young men: "It [the Academy] is under the management and control of Professor H. B. Dow, assisted by such other teachers as are required. Professor Dow is one of the most conscientious and earnest teachers we have ever known and his success in Proctor Academy testifies to his merit much more than anything we can say."

— Mr. J. B. McDonald has just finished putting into his sheds between 4000 and 5000 tons of fresh-mined coal of all varieties. The stock consists of Lackawana and the celebrated Jermyn coals; a cargo of the famous Draper Lehigh, the finest for domestic purposes that is in use; large quantities of Provincial and American bituminous coal of all qualities; a cargo of 1000 tons of the Maryland Company's celebrated George's Creek; a large amount of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre's Wilkesbarre coal, and other kinds, all direct from the mines and warranted of the best quality. Anyone who would like to see a very fine stock of coal should visit Mr. McDonald's yards.

— Owing to some misunderstanding in relation to the time of payment the hands in Mr. E. Rollins's shoe stock factory at Cummingsville struck last Monday. Mr. Rollins was absent at the time, and his foreman was unable to keep the hands in until his return. It was supposed by Mr. Rollins that the help had settled down to fortnightly payments, but it seems they demanded their pay weekly, and because the foreman would not yield the point in the absence of the proprietor they went out. According to the agreement between the K. of L. and factory owners the strikers in this shop have made a serious mistake. Mr. Rollins, so it is said, is about to enlarge his business, and has rented the large building on High street formerly owned by Mr. Norris and used as a box-factory. He is doing a large amount of manufacturing, and has concluded to do more.

— Messrs. Bryant & King did the very handsome thing by Patrick McCarthy, who was injured at their factory some weeks since and taken to the Massachusetts General Hospital. While there they paid all his bills for surgical aid and other expenses, and besides that handed over to Mrs. McCarthy the weekly amount her husband would have earned had he been well and in the factory. They will also give him employment at such work as he can do. That is real, genuine Christian charity, too little of which is met with in the world.

— A great many of our people have been and are still going over to Lexington to see Mrs. Hayes's magnificent display of rhododendrons, consisting of over 300 of the choicest and most beautiful specimens. On Mrs. Hayes's invitation a large party of ladies and gentlemen from Boston went out last Monday and spent the afternoon enjoying the splendid exhibition, by whom it was pronounced superior to anything ever shown in the State. The display will be open to the public another week. People who visit it are courteously entertained by Mrs. Hayes.

— Mr. W. W. Hill will get all completely settled in his new residence on Prospect street, just off from Montvale Avenue, in a few days. It will make Mr. and Mrs. Hill a very nice, pleasant and handy home. The location is a desirable one, commanding from the south and west windows of the house an admirable view of the town and surrounding scenery, and being well elevated the air is pure and healthy. The building is well arranged for comfort and convenience, the rooms are sunny and pleasant, and we can see no reason why Mr. and Mrs. Hill and the baby may not enjoy life in the new home.

— Messrs. George A. Loring & Co. have placed in their handsome drug-store, Trull building, Main street, a "Bay State" soda and mineral water fountain, which will be duly dedicated to-morrow. It is an elegant piece of furniture, 72 inches long, 24 wide, 84 high, 20 syrups, 4 minerals, and cost $1,800. The superstructure rests on massive silver columns of Corinthian form, and combines in its construction Pyrenese Green, Italian Bordillo, Belgian, Gyrotte, and Mexican Onyx, with a French plate bevelled mirror set in a frame of Sienna marble. It is a beauty, and will be kept charged with lucious syrups and cool mineral waters —just the drinks for hot weather.

— The Woburn Brass Band gave Mr. Edward A. Dow, who has been Treasurer of the organization for the last 10 years, a surprise party last Wednesday evening, which was a very pleasant affair indeed. Mr. Dow had no previous hint of what was in store for him, but when Mr. James Kimball in a proper speech, in behalf of his associates, advanced and presented him with a beautiful watch charm, with Masonic and Odd Fellow emblems engraved on it, he managed to extend his hearty thanks for the token of respect in a very creditable manner. The handsome lawn was brilliantly illuminated; the Band played numerous excellent pieces; and a rich and bountiful collation was served. The occasion was a happy one for all concerned.

— Mr. J. H. Wilson is canvassing Woburn for subscribers to a new "History of Massachusetts," and is meeting with excellent success. The work consists of one volume of over 600 pages profusely and beautifully illustrated, and is gotten up in the very best style mechanically. The writer of it is George Lowell Austin, author of "Life of Longfellow," and other works of note, and a member of the N. E. Historic-Genealogical, National and other Societies, and is an author well and favorably known in literary circles. B. B. Russell, 57 Cornhill, Boston, is the publisher, who has spared no pains or expense in bringing the History out in admirable shape. The accuracy and value of the work are vouched for by numerous good judges here and elsewhere, and those of our people who subscribe for it may rely on getting a full, trustworthy and everyway first-class history of the Old Bay State.

— It looks a little as though the Woburn reporters of the Boston papers were "running to emptyings." At least that is what the venerable head of the *Advertiser* thinks. For example: those papers of last Monday evening said that the people of this place were anxious to have President Cleveland and his wife come here when they make their trip East this summer and that it is desirable that something be done about it by the town right away. Some time ago somebody said something about Cleveland's wish to come to Woburn and drop a tear on the grave of Aaron Cleveland, who was buried in the old graveyard on September 14, 1716, and on Moses's too, who was buried in the same yard some 40 years earlier, if it could be found, and out of this the reporters aforesaid worked up quite a sensation. The President must think more of his ancestor than most people do if one of the yearnings of his soul is to come here and look on the grave of one of them and read its inscription, 170 years old. And still, if he should come, we won'd give him a royal greeting. But, to begin with, there is no likelihood of his coming North this summer, and until that question is set it would not be wise to get excited over it and rend our garments.

— The last meeting of the Woman's Club was held in the vestry of the Baptist church on the 4th of June. The meeting was opened by the Vice-President. The Secretary's report was read. It was voted to alter that by-law which states that the time of beginning shall be half past three, as it is considered better, and has for some time been the practice, to open at three, instead. The Vice-President alluded to the death of Mrs. Marcus Eaton, who had been for some years a member of the club, spoke appreciatively of her virtues, and expressed the general regret felt for her loss. Mrs. Abbie M. Gannett, of Malden, was then introduced. This lady addressed the club in place of Mrs. Kate Gannett Wells, who was prevented by sickness from keeping her engagement. She began by asking permission to say a few words about the present health and fortunes of Miss Anna Carroll in whom she is strongly interested and concerning whom she has spoken before to the club. Her subject for the afternoon was "Our True Outlook" which she believed should be that of the optimist, who, although environed by difficulties and discouragements, never loses faith in the ultimate perfection of the race. Such a faith she thought it possible for every individual to attain and to preserve, however narrow his limitations of circumstance might be. A short discussion followed her essay. Before closing, the Treasurer called attention to a mistake in the Secretary's published report of the last meeting, in which she said that it had been proposed to change the hour of opening from three to half past three. The resolution offered was, instead, to change the hour written in the by-law, as stated above. The treasurer thought this mistake was the cause of the tardiness of several members, but, as the resolution had not been voted upon at the previous meeting, that could not have been the case. The meeting, the last one of the season, adjourned to the third Friday in October. The speaker and subject for that time will be announced either in the JOURNAL or by postal cards.

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Town Meeting.

A Town Meeting was held last Tuesday evening.——Col. W. T. Grammer was chosen Moderator.——Under Art. 2 of the Warrant it was voted to ratify the deed given by James N. Dow, Treasurer, to John A. Weldon of land on High street.——The report of the committee on the revision of town By-laws was adopted, and Clerk directed to secure the proper judicial approval of the same.——Voted to give a conformatory deed to the No. Woburn Street Railway Co., of land on Main street, No. Woburn.——Under Art. 5 it was voted to accept the report of the Selectmen and School Committee on the disposition of the Common street schoolhouse, and to appropriate $800 to put the same into condition suitable for offices for the various Town Boards and a District Court room [This was a wise measure].——Voted to let the elm standing at the junction of Main and Pleasant streets remain; to stone curb it; set a lamp; and remove the hydrant near it. [Another wise measure].——Voted to instruct the Selectmen to extend an invitation to President Cleveland to come out to Woburn and take a look at the grave of his grandfather several degrees removed, when he visits Boston. [Citizen Terrett thought the motion ought not to prevail, for if President Cleveland don't care enough for his ancestors to come 10 miles to see the grave of one of them, and bring Frankie with him, he had better stay away.]——Adjourned.

Baseball.

At Woburn, last Saturday, the Stars of Winchester played the Woburn H. S. B. B. Club. The game was too one-sided to be interesting, for the visitors played a listless game, except in the last half of the sixth innings, when, by bunching their hits they made eight runs. In the third innings the Stars were greatly strengthened by the addition of Rogers, Marion, and Mann of Woburn, Wm. Godhue, Symmes, and Buxton leaving the field. The features were the two running catches by Cotton in left field and the second base work of McKenzie. The following tells the tale:

W. H. S.

	AB	R	BH	TB	PO	A	E
McSweeney, s s & p	5	3	1	1	1	4	1
Brigham, c f	5	2	1	1	0	0	2
Conn, 2b	5	5	1	1	2	2	1
Taylor, r f	4	4	1	1	1	0	0
Sherburne, c	5	3	2	3	5	0	1
Larkin, p & s s	4	1	1	2	2	6	1
Cotton, l f	4	0	2	2	2	0	0
Bland, 1b	5	1	2	2	6	0	1
Murdock, 3b	5	2	3	4	0	1	1
	42	21	14	17	18	12	8

STARS.

	AB	R	BH	TB	PO	A	E
Godhu, 1b	5	1	2	3	6	0	2
Rust, s s	4	1	1	1	1	1	1
Herrick, c & p	4	3	2	4	2	4	4
Mann c f	4	1	1	1	0	0	0
Covell, 3b	4	3	0	0	2	1	3
Buxton, r f	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
McKenzie, 2b	4	2	2	2	2	0	2
Marion, l f	4	1	1	1	1	1	4
Rogers, c	3	2	0	0	2	0	2
	33	14	8	10	18	5	18

Innings,	1	2	3	4	5	6	
W. H. S.,	3	6	3	0	5	4	—21
Stars,	0	1	0	4	1	8	—14

Game stopped on account of darkness.

Two Base hits—Sherburne, Larkin, Murdock, Herrick, Godhu. Bases Stolen—Herrick, Mann, 2, McKenzie, 2, Covell, Sherburne, Murdock, 2, Bland, Cobb, 2, Cotton, Larkin. Struck out—by Herrick, 2. By McSweeney, 1. By Larkin, 3. Bases on Balls—W. H. S., 2. Stars, 1. Pass balls—Sherburne, 1, Rogers, 2. Time 2 hours 40 minutes. Mr. Wm. DeLoria, Umpire.

The Sun Electric Company.

Visiting the factory of the Sun Electric Light Company on Main street a few mornings since we found changes and improvements going on which testified to the progress being made in the business of the Company. Everybody was engaged in one kind of employment or another, and the scene presented all through the different departments was a busy one. There are at present thirty-five hands employed in the establishment, and next week five or six more will be added, with a good prospect for a still larger complement in the near future.

Additions were in progress in the machine shop which will increase the capacity to double its present possibilities. Carpenters were at work fitting up more apartments for the occupation of the regular operations of the factory, a large increase in its product requiring more room. These changes indicate a prosperity on the part of the company which is encouraging to every one interested in it.

In the manufacturing rooms business was found to be lively. Great numbers of lamps are made, packed and shipped, and we were informed that the demand for them is much larger than the ability to fill it. This however will be remedied at an early day, for within a very short time the capacity of the establishment to turn out products will be trebled. The Sun Light lamp is the best made. Recently capitalists and scientific men of Boston have examined these works, and they have in every instance pronounced the Sun Light system superior to any now in use. Mr. Slattery, the electrician of the Company, is continually adding valuable improvements and patents to products, thus greatly and constantly enhancing the value of the establishment. It is easy enough to see that the Sun Light undertaking is a success.

Consolation for Tanners—Why Their Business is a Healthy One.

"The Druggists' Circular and Chemical Gazette" for June, brings forward the old notion that perfumes may act as disinfectants, and demonstrates that "aromatic disinfection" has some scientific basis and that the possibility suggests itself that the countless aromatic plants and fragrant flowers which grow and bloom during the season when disinfection is most needed may carry in their pleasing odors our most powerful protection against the poisons of the air. When the island of Ternate was despoiled by the Dutch of its clove plantations it was visited by a series of epidemics which it had before escaped. The same authority states that during various invasions of cholera in London and Paris the people working in the perfumers' shops escaped the scourge, an advantage shared by the tanners, who also work in an atmosphere charged with an aromatic—the odor from the bark used in converting hides into leather.

People learn wisdom by experience. A man never wakes up his second baby to see it laugh, but always keeps Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup handy.

And Frankie Too.

There is some chance that the President may go to Woburn by and by to visit the grave of his grandfather. And if the row about the offices continues it is likely that he would at the same time like to visit the graves of a good many other Massachusetts people. —*Boston Evening Record.*

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North Woburn.

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Officers of the No. Woburn street Railway Company were here last Friday, and made arrangements for a new car-house to be 44x156 in which also there will be a waiting station. A tract of land was bought by them on which to put the building, on which work will begin at once.

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MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

UNITARIAN.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: "Almost persuaded," or "Indecision of character."

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; a Children's Sermon at 2.30 p. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m.; Children's Day service at 7 p. m. Usual Wednesday Prayer Meeting at 7.45 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; anniversary of Sunday School and Children's Day Service; address by Rev. Mr. Chandler of India and by others; chorus and choir singing at 7 p. m. The usual meeting Wednesday and Friday evening.

The Scandinavian Evangelical Society, Y. M. C. Rooms. Sunday, preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 m. Praise meeting at 6.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Bible Reading, Friday at 7.30 p. m. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise meeting at 4 o'clock. Boys' meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30. Scandinavian services Sunday at 10.30, Wednesday evening at 7.30. Reading Room open daily from 6.30 to 9.30 p. m., Wednesday excepted. Boys' Branch at 7.45 p. m., on Tuesdays. Sunday 9 a. m. Prayer meeting.

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WINCHESTER.

Strawberry festivals have been at the fore this week.

Material alterations and changes in the coal yards and sheds here are going on.

The 8-hour rule has been adopted at the furniture factory of S. C. Small & Co.

Mrs. E. L. Perry has returned from the South in a much better physical condition than when she went away.

The Unitarian church is undergoing changes and repairs and services will be held in the vestry until they are completed.

The school census-takers, have completed there work to the satisfaction of the School Board. They found 825 children between the ages of 5 and 15 years.

C. H. Dunbar, Jr., George T. Littlefield, S. W. Twombly, Mrs. E. E. Metcalf, L. A. Bradbury and E. Shattuck were the delegates to the South Middlesex Conference.

The contract for concreting the grounds and walks around the depot has been granted to J. M. Ellis & Co., of Woburn, who are the best at the business of any in the State.

The Selectmen's hearing to the No. Woburn street Railway corporation and parties interested will take place tomorrow, Saturday, at 3 o'clock, p. m., in the Selectmen's Rooms. I hear of no opposition in this town to laying the tracks here. It will be a good thing for Winchester.

The ordination service of six deacons to the priesthood took place in the Church of Epiphany Tuesday afternoon. Those ordained were Rev. Carlton P. Mills, Rev. George Alexander Strong, Rev. Roland Cotton Smith, Rev. Henry Woods and Rev. Charles E. Barnes. The sermon was preached by Rev. E. W. Smith, rector of the Church of the Ascension of Fall River. Consecration by Rev. N. Courtney of St. Paul's Church, Boston; Rev. Dr. Porter of Lexington and Rev. E. W. Smith of Fall River. Frank J. Wills presided at the organ.

Last Sunday, pursuant to legal notice given, a large number of persons of this town assembled at the Railroad depot at the Highlands for the purpose of organizing a church in which to maintain regular preaching, Sunday School, etc. The meeting was called to order by Hon. A. B. Coffin, who stated its object and J. Winslow Richardson was chosen clerk. Many ladies as well as gentlemen were present, and an encouraging spirit pervaded the meeting. A committee, consisting of E. S. Barnard, Henry Smalley, John E. Rice, Mrs. John S. Richardson and Mrs. Hannah H. Richardson, were appointed to draft a constitution and set of by-laws, and also a warrant for a legal meeting to be held to perfect the organization.

The Calumet Club dedicated their new headquarters on last Friday evening with considerable ceremony and a grand good time. The suite of rooms, which is located in H. C. Miller's new block on Pleasant street, comprises a parlor, card room, billiard and pool room, and others, the whole being conveniently arranged and handsomely finished and furnished. Elegant furniture, costly rugs, a fine piano, etc., are seen in the parlor and set it off in handsome style, while an artistic open fireplace, rich sideboard, card tables and other nice things make the centre room very attractive and pleasant. The dedicatory address was made by Mr. Thomas S. Spurr, President of the Club; besides which were piano solos by Mr. King, very fine music by Carter's Boston Orchestra, and splendid singing by the Temple Quartet of Boston. A first class collation was served by Caterer Dill of Melrose which was warmly praised and highly enjoyed by the large company present. On the whole, the dedication exercises were very delightful all the way through. The Club is 16 years old.

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BURLINGTON.

The spring term of the schools ends, June 25.

Rev. D. Augustine Newton of Stoneham gave a fine sermon, at the church, Sunday morning.

A large number of our people attended the service, at the North Woburn church last Thursday.

Children's Sunday will be observed, at the church, next Sunday morning. Mrs. S. C. Phinney of Woburn has kindly consented to sing a solo, during the exercises.

Mr. C. H. Walker has a fine lot of plants for sale at his greenhouse. Those who wish to secure good plants should call early, as Mr. Walker has many customers.

A Festival Under Canvass.

FRANK A. ROBBINS' SHOW AT WOBURN, THURSDAY, JUNE 17.

Human ingenuity has well nigh exhausted itself in preparing feasts of amusement for the multitude, but it has remained for Frank A. Robbins to cap the climax of circus enterprise with the monster exhibition he has organized for the season of 1886. Mr. Robbins never deceives the public; his promises go at par every time, and are always duly honored. What he promises on paper will be found beneath the canvas. It is a veritable wonder world; everything is novel and interesting. Every act is startling in its originality; every curiosity interesting from its rarity; every animal challenges admiration for its beauty and perfect keeping and every portion of the vast concern excites the warmest commendation by its cleanliness, neatness, perfect order and system, and the entire absence of all objectionable features. In the rings and on the elevated stage a continual succession of interesting acts are presented, among them being leaping, tumbling, bareback riding, ceiling walking by the Human Fly, aerial bicycling, roller skating, trapeze performances, acrobatic evolutions, performing Arab, Turks, Moors, Egyptians and Mexican exhibitions, besides dozens of others festivities of more than ordinary merits. In the menagarie with its many cages of wild animals, are also to be seen numerous trained animals in the exhibition arena, including the wonderful tamed Baby Clown elephant who does more clever things than was ever performed by an Elephant before. The most novel and interesting feature of the exhibition is the Elephant Band, composed of seven of these huge beasts who have been taught to perform on all sorts of different musical instruments, with the precision of skilled musicians. This great novelty cost Mr. Robbins $25,000 and can be seen in no other show, and will exhibit at Woburn, Thursday June 17.

Books and Papers.

THE MUSICAL HERALD for June is a capital number. Its liberal instalment of new music is by the best composers, and will be appreciated by musical people. Besides this the number contains a large amount of news and professional gossip with several good editorials. Published by the Musical Herald Co., Boston.

THE STATE of Boston appeared in a new make-up last Saturday, having wisely changed to a quarto form, which will be generally approved by its army of intelligent readers. THE STATE is a thorough-paced Republican paper, ably edited by Gen. Swift and a strong corps of writers, and we are very glad to know that its popularity and circulation are increasing rapidly all over New England. It deserves a large patronage not only from Republicans for its sound political doctrine, but from others for its rare literary merit. For so young a candidate for public favor THE STATE has met with remarkable success, and richly deserves it.

By courtesy of Lucius Tuttle, Esq., General Passenger Agent of the Boston and Lowell Railroad, we have received a copy each of "Summer Saunterings by the B. & L." and "Winnipesaukee and About There." The former contains 196 pages of matter valuable to mountain travelers and visitors, and the latter 96 pages of description of the beautiful Lake Winnipesaukee and its delightful surroundings, both splendidly illustrated by finely engraved sketches taken on the spot by the Company's special artist. They are very handsome books—much more attractive and interesting than the annual publications of any other New England Railroad—and indicate enterprise and a sharp eye to business on the part of Mr. Tuttle. These handsome books will be mailed free to any address on receipt of six cents for each copy to prepay postage, on application to Lucius Tuttle, Gen'l Pass'r Agt. B. & L. R. R. Boston.

The Great Circus on June 17.

Frank A. Robbins' new, great monster shows are to exhibit in Woburn Thursday June 17, giving two full performances. This has the reputation of being one of the most complete and attractive shows in the country, and comes to us endorsed by the press of every town it has visited. Its riders are recognized as being the best in the profession, especially the lady riders, of whom there are a great number, while the very best talent has been engaged in the various departments. There is also a very large menagerie, including a herd of performing elephants, beside a wonderful elephant band playing on a variety of musical instruments. The program contains all the newest features and will be enlivened by a number of "men in motley," who will make all laugh and none grieve. There will be excursion trains on all railroads to bring in our country friends to see the great procession.

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AUCTION SALE.

WHEREAS, the Directors of the North Woburn Street Railroad Company have duly offered to the stockholders of said Company of record May 10, 1886, the right to subscribe for new stock in said company, during the thirty days next following said date; and

WHEREAS, the said thirty days expired on Wednesday, June 9, 1886; and

WHEREAS, at that time the holders of record on said May 10, of twenty-seven shares of said stock had not subscribed for said new shares:

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, in accordance with the Public Statutes of the State of Massachusetts, that I will sell at public auction, at the office of Gilman F. Jones, on Main street, in Woburn, on **Saturday, June 26, 1886, at 2 o'clock, P. M.**, to the highest bidder above par ($100 per share), the said twenty-seven shares of new stock, by order of the Directors of said company.

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Woburn, June 10, 1886.

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Prevented

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LOST.

On Main street, Woburn, Saturday, May 29 last, a LADIES' POCKET BOOK, containing a sum of money, three notes, and a receipt. If the person who was seen to pick up the same, a few minutes after it was dropped, will return the notes to the subscriber, he will save trouble.

G. G. BRUCE.

TOWN OF WOBURN.



BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, June 10, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that WILLIAM A. GRANFIELD has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class, at Granfield building, so-called, situated at the corner of Ash street and Brooks street, so-called, in said Woburn, in first floor and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded southerly by Ash street; easterly by Brooks street; northerly by land of Hugh O'Rielly and westerly by land of Hugh Keating and owner unknown.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, June 10, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that ANNIE COGAN has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class, at building owned by Ann Killalee on Thorn street, in said Woburn, in one room on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded westerly by land of town of Woburn; northerly by land of Thomas Marlow; southerly by Thorn street, and easterly by land of Dominick Montague.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, June 10, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Grace McDevitt has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class, at her building on the southerly side of Harrison Avenue, formerly Rag Rock Avenue, in said Woburn, in one room on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded northerly by said Harrison Avenue; southerly by land now or formerly of Stephen How; westerly by land of Margaret Wiggin, and easterly by land of Hugh Martin.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

No. 746.
Report of the Condition
—OF—
The First National Bank of Woburn,

at Woburn, in the State of Massachusetts, at the close of business, June 3, 1886.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts,	$392,208 78
Overdrafts,	246 24
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,	300,000 00
Other stocks, bonds, and mortgages,	34,497 50
Due from approved reserve agents,	5,460 94
Real estate, furniture and fixtures,	28,250 00
Current expenses and taxes paid	808 98
Premiums paid,	36,500 00
Checks and other cash items,	3,469 70
Bills of other banks,	3,908 00
Fractional Paper Currency, nickels, and pennies	94 25
Specie,	8,670 25
Legal-tender notes,	2,293 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, (5 per cent of circulation)	13,500 00
Total,	$829,337 64

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in,	$300,000 00
Surplus fund,	81,000 00
Undivided Profits,	6,437 48
National Bank Notes outstanding,	270,000 00
Dividends unpaid,	270 00
Individual deposits subject to check,	145,475 16
Demand certificates of deposit,	26,156 99
Total,	$829,337 64

STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS—COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, SS.

I, G. A. Day, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. A. DAY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of June, 1886.

JOHN W. JOHNSON, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
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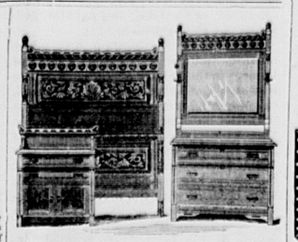
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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Samuel C. Skelton, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Samuel Skelton, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, the executrix named in said will having declined said trust, and that he may be exempt from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of June instant, at nine o'clock, in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

24-3 S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Lucretia W. Kendall, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Lewis L. Whitney, the executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Legatees, Devisees and others interested in the estate of Joshua Seward, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, testate.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, John W. Johnson, Administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell the whole of the second parcel of the real estate of said deceased described in said petition, being the farm in Woburn, for the payment of debts, legacies and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

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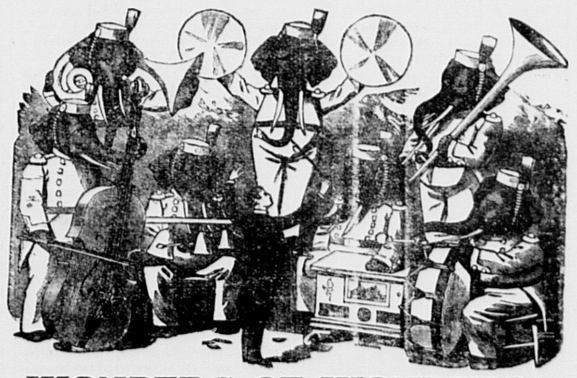
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A Grand Free Street Parade!

Of Gorgeous Magnificence will be given at 10 A.M. Daily, Starting from the Place of Exhibition and proceeding through the principal streets. In this splendid Procession Display will be seen a long line of Gilded Chariots, unique Vehicles of novel design, Open Cages of Wild Beasts, a herd of 13 Elephants, Camels, Ponies, Jubilee Singers and Two Bands of Music.—Don't Fail to see it, as it costs you nothing.

TWO PERFORMANCES DAILY. Doors Open at 1 and 6 o'clock, P. M. Which allows you one hour to see the interesting wonders in the Museum and Menagerie before the Circus Performances begin.

EXCURSIONS ON ALL RAILROADS at REDUCED RATES. FULL PARTICULARS CAN BE HAD OF YOUR RAILROAD AGENT.

Admission to All, 50 Cents. Children, under 9 years, 25 Cents.

Woman's Column.

Miss Kate Stoneman, the first woman ever admitted to practice in the courts of New York State, is the sister of Judge Stoneman, of the Supreme Court of Illinois, and of Governor Stoneman of California, and the sister-in-law of ex-Senator Williams of Buffalo. She is only thirty-three, and has had a long public career as an advocate of woman suffrage. Her presence is prepossessing, and her social gifts are rare. She has been studying for three years in a lawyer's office.

Two hundred young women graduated from the London University last week.

The friends of Miss Jennie Chamberlain deny vigorously the published report that she intends to go upon the stage.

Miss Grace Soper, who is a graduate of Cornell University, is on the staff of the Boston *Journal* and is a correspondent of the New York *Sunday Tribune*.

Miss Jane Andrews gets praise in high quarters for her latest book, "Ten Boys who Lived on the Road from Long Ago to Now." Whittier says, "It is the best child's book, I have ever read." James Parton described Miss Andrews as the best teacher in the world."

Mrs. Joshie, the Hindoo lady who lately graduated from the Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania, has carefully preserved her caste since coming to this country, since, if she lost it, she could not be of professional use in high caste families in India on her return home. Every particle of her daily food she has cooked for herself and has served herself at table.

Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett is one of the few authors who are not disturbed by noise. Her writing is usually done in the breakfast-room with her children about her, prattling, laughing, and crying by turns—noises which to most brain workers are more trying than anything else. No matter how noisy the children may be they never disturb her, and occasionally when perplexed and weary, she finds pleasant relief in a few minutes' romp with them.

Mrs. Maria Sheldon Nott, widow of Rev. Dr. Eliphalet Nott, president of Union College, has lately died at Schenectady. The beauty of her character and her remarkable mental endowments gave her a singular power over young men. It was her custom to invite the boys, one or two at a time, to take tea and spend an evening with her, and her conversation and refined manners did more to inspire them with laudable ambition and a scorn of meanness and rudeness than all the discipline that the faculty knew how to administer. She made it a duty to know personally every student in each class, and she never forgot a face or a name. Hundreds of graduates of Union College remember their acquaintance with her as among the chief privileges of their student days.

Two lady physicians of the M. E. Woman's Foreign Missionary Society in Northern India, and one assistant, treated last year 28,253 patients.

The Virginia Lancet of Petersburg, Va. is said to be the only paper in this country conducted by a colored woman. Her name is Carrie Bragg.

Miss Augusta Holmes has nearly finished the opera she is composing on an Irish theme. An antique legend of Erin is the subject chosen by the lady, who has composed her own libretto. Miss Holmes spent last autumn in London, studying the ancient Irish MSS. in the British Museum.

No Russian lady can travel without her husband's assent to the issue of her passport, but in Austria woman's right to a veto has just been recognized. It is stated that a decree has recently been promulgated to the effect that no married Austrian subject shall henceforth receive a passport for journeying beyond the frontier, without the express consent of his wife.

An interesting bill before the Storthing is one to grant a married woman independent control of her own property, which has hitherto been entirely at the disposal of the husband. This is one of the many steps now being taken in Norway to improve the social condition of woman.

The French national printing office employs girls as type-founders, printers, book-sewers, book-binders, etc., the wages ranging from fifty cents to one dollar per day. After thirty years' service, both men and women are retired upon a pension.

Professor Rena A. Michaels, dean of the Woman's College and professor of the French language and literature in the Worthwestern University, is one of our most promising young scholars. Devoted from her youth to severe studies, she has made herself mistress of the French, German, Spanish, and Italian languages, and has been elected a member of the Modern Language Association of America, of which President Carter of Williams College, is president, and Prof. Elliot of Johns Hopkins University is secretary.

A Burglar Captured.

This morning about two o'clock, John Wood, the well-known plumber who resides on Main street, was awakened by hearing glass break. On getting out of bed he received a blow on the head. He immediately grappled with the burglar, and after a terrible struggle succeeded in holding him until his wife obtained help. On being searched at the station, Mr. Wood's watch and wallet was found on his person. He gave the name of Robert Terry. The broken glass proved to be a bottle of Sulphur Bitters which had almost cured Mrs. Wood of rheumatism.—Exchange.

Master Stuart R. Crane, the precocious six year old son of William H. Crane, the popular comedian, terrified his mother the other day by rushing into her room at a Cincinnati hotel, flourishing a mammoth toy pistol.

"Stuart Robson Crane," she cried, "what on earth have you got there?"

"A pithol," answered the boy, "an I'm goin' to thoot a man?"

"No, you're not, either," said Mrs. Crane, in a stern, commanding voice. "Give me that horrid pistol at once or I'll tell your father."

"Oh, I don't care," cried the young hopeful, defiantly. "He's the man I'm going to thoot!"

THE ANCIENT PUEBLOS OF TAOS.

Interior of the Huts—Council Chamber Under Ground—Water-Carriers.

The pueblos of Taos, for there are two of them, side by side, overlook the town and are nestled at the foot of sage-grown hills. From a distance, as one approaches them, the two piles of sun-baked houses resemble a pair of ant hills, or collections of mud blocks, such as swallows might have constructed for a habitation. And a nearer acquaintance does not wholly dispel one's first illusions. The huts are small in size and are built one on top of the other, without regard to any rule. The roof of one house is the foundation of another. Shaky ladders, worn and old, reach from the ground to the roof above, and entrance to the various habitations is by means of a second ladder leading through a trap door cut in the house top. The interior of the huts is dimly lighted and usually consists of one room, the walls of which are whitewashed and hung about with the belongings of the resident. In their younger years the pueblos were surrounded by a high wall, which served as a means of protection against the attacks of enemies, and the villages were inhabited by a large and active population. Now, however, the wall is down, and the Indians, numbering about 500 in all, are a quiet, peaceable, rather lazy, but wholly picturesque people. They are self-supporting and own large flocks of sheep and goats.

Each pueblo has its governors, and the councils of the tribe are held in what is known as an estufa, a cavern-like place excavated from beneath the ground, and entered by a ladder which projects far above the narrow opening. In this subterranean cave the cases involving breach of discipline and the laws of the people are considered and framed, while tradition reports that there is also kept burning down there a light which is destined to light the return of the mystic god, Montezuma, for whom the priests offer a prayer from the housetops, both in the morning and at night. Whether this is so or not has never been clearly decided, and probably never will be. No stranger is allowed to go into an estufa, and judging from the smell arising from the dark-looking place no white man would ever wish to investigate the truth of the story.

Separating the two pueblos of Taos is a narrow shallow creek. Here, at all hours, from early morning until late at night, the women of the village gather. Some are filling earthen jugs with water, others are washing, and not a few are giving their naked children a much needed bath. They are full of mischief, these black-eyed and often pretty girls, and have little hesitation in wetting a stranger by pretending to let fall one of their heavy jugs at a convenient moment. Their dress consists of a single garment—of calico or some other coarse material, which reaches barely to the knee and falls away from the shoulder in a rather immodest manner. Gathered around their heads and falling in really graceful folds over the shoulder is a black shawl, behind which the face is often concealed with real or affected modesty.

The pottery is home-made and is not to be compared in finish or design with that which used to be made by the forefathers of the present race. But it answers all the purposes of the time, however, and possesses in rare instances considerable merit. The women do the work of the village. Mothers at 12 years of age, gray-haired, fat and slovenly at 30, and blear-eyed, lean and toothless at 60, they mend their husband's clothes, carry the wood and water into the houses, tend the sheep, dig in the fields, cook, wash and labor from early morn until late at night. Common baking ovens are scattered about the plazas. Made of sun-baked brick and oval in shape, they are filled with hot coals until sufficiently heated, and are then cleaned out and the bread put in. After the loaf is baked, and while the ovens are still warm, the dogs of the village crawl in and gain a comfortable nap.—New Mexico Cor. San Francisco Chronicle.

An Ancient Cemetery on the Nile.

An ancient Egyptian necropolis has been discovered in the Lybian desert, opposite Assuan, on the left bank of the Nile. Among the tombs already opened are several which date apparently from the twelfth dynasty (B. C. 3000). They consist of two or more halls or chambers, connected by corridors, the roofs being supported by columns and the walls decorated with colored bas-reliefs in brilliant preservation. Several of the tombs appear to belong to members of a noble, if not royal, family. The cemetery is apparently of great extent. It was discovered by Gen. Grenfell, who is busily clearing out the tombs with the help of English soldiers. The largest tomb, usurped by later comers, was found piled to the ceiling with mummies, mummy cases and funeral furniture of Roman times.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Longest Words in the Language.

A Philadelphia paper recently started a discussion as to the longest word in the English language. The three largest words yet discovered by its correspondent are Anthropomorphitamanismicalization, which has forty-two letters; phiscoynoscophographicalities, with thirty letters, and Methylethyephynylammonium, which has twenty-five.—Chicago Herald.

The Evolution of the Tomato.

The evolution of the tomato is going on in a remarkable way. Not many years ago the fruit was mostly skin and seeds, but the newest varieties are almost solid pulp, with very few seeds. Possibly, as in the case of the banana, the seeds will yet disappear altogether and the plants will have to be propagated by cuttings.—Chicago Herald.

Warm Climate in Labrador's Latitude.

The island of Arran, off the west coast of Scotland, is said to be so mild that palms and camellias thrive in the open air, without injury, in winter, although the latitude is that of the northern part of Labrador.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

An exchange says lead is an animal production, because it is found in "pigs."

The Bev. Wm. Stout, Wiarton, Ont., states.: "After being ineffectually treated by seventeen different doctors for Scrofula and blood diseases, I was cured by Burdock Blood Bitters." Write him for proof.

An indirect way of getting a drink of water at a cheap boarding-house is to ask for a third cup of tea.

For burns, scalds, bruises and all pain and soreness of the flesh, the grand household remedy is Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Be sure you get the genuine.

THE PRACTICE OF BLOOD-DRINKING.

Said to Be a Cure for Pulmonary and Other Diseases—The Patients.

Comparatively few people are aware of the extent to which the drinking of warm blood as it flows fresh from the dying animal is carried as a cure for pulmonary and other diseases.

The increasing number of those who have recourse to this remedy induced your correspondent to pay a visit to an abattoir in one of our great cities, at present a favorite resort of invalids of various sorts.

It was 10 o'clock in the morning when I arrived, and the men of beeves were preparing to slaughter twenty head of cattle for an outgoing European steamer.

A gentleman of about fifty years, whose once spare figure bore incipient traces of fleshiness, alighted, and with an elastic step entered the room.

"Do you find the blood distasteful to you?" I asked, after a formal introduction.

"Not now; but at first it was disagreeable to me. Then I was not able to get out of my carriage, and the blood was brought to me. In a short time I could waddle in here rather feebly, and now after four months I feel pretty strong. I shall not need to come more than two months longer."

"How does it taste to you?" I asked.

"Like salted milk, and some put salt in the blood, but I do not feel that it makes it more palatable."

A second carriage appeared on the scene, in which was reclining an elegantly dressed but very feeble young lady, to whom one of the young men approaching the carriage handed a small glass with a tube attached, from which she attempted to imbibe some of the blood.

The effort was vain, as her aversion was too pronounced to be overcome.

"I am afraid I can never do it," she remarked with a sigh, "but I must keep trying, as it is my only hope."

A puny youth, of pale complexion and not yet of age, here entered. He was a nervous weakling of dwarfish stature, whose growth had been stunted by chronic disease.

"Do you expect that the blood will help you?" I asked.

"Oh, yes. Last summer a friend, whose case was just like mine, grew robust and strong and became considerably taller after drinking blood for eight months. I am sure it will do me as much good as it did him. It is only a month since I began drinking the blood, and I am much better already. I never found the taste disagreeable."

A low cry just then announced the arrival of a stylish carriage from which a careworn lady descended, bearing in her arms a little girl of three years. The glass tube mode of taking the blood was resorted to and the child received the liquid with a curiously passive and indifferent air.

"My child did not have vitality enough to keep her alive," explained the mother, in response to my inquiring look. "Her stomach would retain hardly anything, not even milk, but she is getting over this, and I think in two or three months the child will be able to eat as well as other children."

With a hopeful smile she turned to her carriage and waved the signal of home to the brass-buttoned coachman.

"I suppose the blood makes great changes in the personal appearance," I said, turning to my friend B.

"Oh, yes, very great changes. One of the many people who have come here to drink blood was a sickly girl, who continued to do so for about six months.

"The first time she saw a steer killed she fainted away, and when she revived a spoonful of blood was all she could take. In a few days she could bear two or three spoonfuls, and finally a glassful. She was very pale and consumptive.

"A few weeks after she stopped coming I met her on the street, when she spoke to me, but I did not recognize her, she was so changed. 'Don't you know me,' she said, 'I used to come to your slaughter-house to drink blood.' She was a stout, healthy woman, and I have heard that she is to be married before long.

"Our visitors never give up while there is hope. I have known some to come for eighteen months or two years. One young man drove here every day in a coach for over a year. He came here the last time on a Friday and died the next day.

"We have cups of blue glass with covers to hide the color of the blood from patients who are nervous or sensitive," said Mr. B., as a delicate young lady retired.

"Of course we charge nothing for blood unless the visitor chooses to give the man bringing the cup 5 cents for catching its contents. Our patients are mostly women and young people, who have not much blood in their veins, or whose blood is impure and whose system consequently needs toning up.

"A steer's blood is just what they want, being pefectly pure and abounding in iron. A cow's blood is never drank, as it is unfit for the purpose, being liable to be diseased."—Philadelphia Call.

To Purify Sick-Room Atmosphere.

A disinfecting compound for purifying the atmosphere of the sick-room has been presented to the Berlin Medical society. Oils of rosemary, lavender and thyme, in the proportions of ten, two and a half, and two and a half parts, respectively, are mixed with water and nitric acid in the proportion of thirty to one and a half. The bottle should be shaken before using, and a sponge saturated in the compound and left to diffuse by evaporation. Simple as it is, the vapor of this compound is said to possess extraordinary properties in controlling the odors and effluvia of offensive and infectious disorders.—Frank Leslie's Illustrated.

There Is No Hope for Him.

I hab knowed drunkards ter quit drinkin', has knowed thieves ter quit stealin', but I neber knowed a liar ter quit lyin' laung ez he libed. When er man gits inter de habit o' lyin', dar ain't no hope fur him.—Arkansaw Traveler.

These are Solid Facts.

The best blood purifier and system regulator ever placed within the reach of suffering humanity, truly is Electric Bitters. Inactivity of the Liver, Biliousness, Jaundice, Constipation, Week Kidneys, or any disease of the urinary organs, or whoever requires an appetizer, tonic or mild stimulant, will always find Electric Bitters the best and only certain cure known. They act surely and quickly, every bottle guaranteed to give entire satisfaction or money refunded. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by Wm. W. Hill opposite the Common.

"John," said a master to his head apprentice, as he was about starting on a short journey, "you must occupy my place while I am absent." "Thank you, sir," demurely replied John, "but I think I'd rather sleep with the boys."

Without beautiful hair no woman is beautiful. Is yours falling off or faded? The loss is vital. Parker's Hair Balsam will preserve your hair and give back its gloss and youthful color. Clean, elegant, perfect. Prevents dandruff.

THE ORIGIN OF ENGRAVING.

The Invention of Producing Pictures on Paper from Metal Plates.

There are few chapters in the history of art of greater interest than those which unfold to us the discovery of forgotten treasures, and reveal the existence of works which had long ago passed out of remembrance. The intimate connection between the invention of engraving and the art of the silversmith, or rather that branch of the silversmith's work which consists of the chasing of an outline into a plate of precious metal to be subsequently filled up with dark-colored enamel, the so-called Niello work, was never appreciated until, at the close of the last century, Abbe Zani found among some old Italian engravings, in the National library at Paris, a print which he recognized as similar in subject to the famous Pax, decorated with Niello work, made by Maso Fingiguerra for the baptistery of St. John, and paid for, as is proved by the records in 1452.

This Pax or Assumption was subsequently transferred to the cabinet of bronzes in the gallery of Florence, where it is now preserved, and it was proved, on comparing with it the engraving, that the latter had actually been printed from the silver plate, before the enamel was fused into the outline, prior, therefore, to 1452. On the strength of this discovery, Finiguerra has, ever since the year 1796, been credited with the invention of producing engravings on paper from metal plates. There seems little reason to doubt, as has been often pointed out, that many silversmiths of the fifteenth century may have been in the habit of obtaining trials of their work in progress, as did Finiguerra, perchance, when he produced his historical print, representing Christ crowning the Virgin, from his work on the Florentine Pax.

It may indeed have been, together with the well-known sulphur casts, a recognized mode of obtaining a record of the Niello work, which had been practiced for many years previous to the time in question, though no such paper impressions of an earlier date than this have been handed down to us. It was a common practice to take proofs of the work by means of sulphur casts long previous to 1452, as numerous specimens of such casts have been preserved to us, but it is difficult to say who was the first bold innovator who substituted a piece of paper for the sulphur, and thus originated the precious art of engraving. The story of the wet linen, which accidentally gave the idea to Finiguerra, is generally treated as fiction of those who have studied the subject.—Art Journal.

American Manners and Speech.

The Americans are without doubt more unconventional than the English. They are more natural in their manners and more natural in their speech. When they have anything to say they deliberate less on the way in which it should be put. They have no special reverence for hackneyed forms of speech, phrases that are conventional or words which are venerated merely because they are old. They realize the poetical value of the fossils of language that were the speech of the English people in the time of Chaucer, Spenser, or Shakespeare, but do not feel themselves obliged to retain and make daily use of them unless common usage has made it necessary.

If new words come into local use and afterwards become established by adoption of the newspapers and by popular literature, they do not object to their being incorporated into the language, if they are decent and expressive. In this way America, while it is responsible, though no more guilty than England, for a great deal of slang, has helped to enrich the mother tongue in ways that English writers even have been compelled to acknowledge.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Pet Witches of the Caroline Islands.

The natives of the Caroline islands are firm believers in sorcery, but instead of burning their witches they try to conciliate them in every possible way, especially by leaving presents at their door in night-time, never doubting that the wisdom of the bruxa will enable her to divine the unknown benefactor. Witches are propitiated by gifts of cocoa cakes and honey whenever the storm-clouds loom on the horizon of the setting sun, as well as in times of protracted droughts, for bruxas are supposed to have specifics for evils of that sort. Women credited with proficiency in such business branches of the black art are therefore considered desirable matches, and do not fail to impress their admirers with vague hints of magical omnipotence. —Dr. Felix L. Oswald.

Going To Be a Choir Singer.

A very bright little lad of 13 years, son of a popular vocalist, joined his mother's church recently and felt very proud of it. While he was strutting around the house, bearing his new honors with dignity, a much younger brother exclaimed: "You feel mighty big, don't you. I'll never join the church anyway!" On being asked why, he replied: "Because I won't. I'm going to be a choir singer like father, and singers never join the church, you know!"—Utica Observer.

Place Where Grass Grows Best.

The grass which grows on dry, rich soil, with free sunlight warming it, is much more nutritious than that grown on land filled with stagnant water. Stock will eat the former down to the roots before touching the latter. It is very common in fields where underdrains run, to see the line over the tile made plainly visible by its closely-cropped herbage.—Chicago Journal.

Lignite Readily Pressed in Bricks.

Lignite may be readily pressed in bricks for burning by the addition of a little tar, or fluid pitch, or asphalt.

A social axiom for both capital and labor to recollect: Let it be granted that society can never be regulated by hate.—New York Commercial.

The price asked by Professor Nicolle for the lately discovered picture by Raphael is $100,000.

A Public Benefaction.

How to laundry linen as it is done in Troy, N. Y., has been kept a secret long enough; it can and should be done in every family. The ELASTIC STARCH is the only starch in the United States that is put up by men have a practical knowledge of the laundry profession. It requires no cooking, keeps the iron from sticking and linen from blistering while ironing, and gives shirts, cuffs and collars that stiffness and beautiful polish they have when new, which, everybody knows keeps them clean twice as long. Beware of imitations. See that the name J. C. HUBINGER & BROS., New Haven, Conn., is on every package.

A man was boasting that he had an elevator in his house. "So he has," chimed in his wife, "and he keeps it in a cupboard in a bottle."

Scott's Emulsion of Pure

Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, is more reliable as an agent in the cure of Consumption, Chronic Coughs and Emaciation, than any remedy known to medical science. It is so prepared that the potency of these two most valuable specifics is largely increased. It is also very palatable.

A Sensible Man

Would use Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. It is curing more cases of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup and all Throat and Lung Troubles, than any other medicine. The proprietor has authorized Chas. H. Bass, to refund your money, if after taking three-fourths of a bottle, relief is not obtained. Price 50c and $1. Trial size free.

From the earliest period much importance has been attached to the position of the grave, the popular direction being from east to west, that from north to south being regarded as not only dishonorable but unlucky.

Three Effects.—The thousands of remarkable cures which have been accomplished by Hood's Sarsaparilla are due simply to three effects which this great medicine has upon those who take it:
First: It purifies the blood.
Second: It strengthens the system.
Third: It gives healthy action to the digestive organs.
With these three effects no disease can long retain its hold. It is forced to leave the system, giving place to health and strength, through the potent influence of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Sold by all druggists. Try it.

Smith, the other day, while looking at the skeleton of a donkey, and admiring and wondering at the structure of that despised animal, made a very maladroit quotation. "Ah," said he, "we are fearfully and wonderfully made."

A whisker dye must be convenient to use, easy to apply, impossible to rub off, elegant in appearance, and cheap in price. Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers unites in itself all these merits. Try it.

A little nine year old girl the other day overhearing a discussion among a parcel of ladies about cooking steak, some advocating broiling beef and others trying mutton, inquired: "Aunt Kit, how do they cook sweepstakes?"

As the greatest pain cure, St. Jacobs Oil is recommended by public men of America and other countries. Hon. Billa Flint, Life-Senator of the Dominion Parliament, Canada, found it to act like a charm.

The women of the Bridgeport, Connecticut, Salvation army are said to have armed themselves with red pepper, to throw into the eyes of the ruffians who insult them while on parade.

The sure effects of Ayer's Sarsaparilla are thorough and permanent. If there is a lurking taint of scrofula about you, Ayer's Sarsaparilla will dislodge it, and expel it from your system.

Angelina (reading fashionable novel) —"'Two loves in one life,' how impossible!" Edwin (not taking it exactly as it was meant)—"Yes, rather a short allowance as times go, isn't it?" Angelina winces.

James Pyle's Pearline is universally recognized as a family favorite. If you desire to secure feminine smiles and domestic sunbeams, even on wash-day, ask your grocers for Pearline.

SULPHUR BITTERS
THE GREAT
German Remedy.
TRUTHS FOR THE SICK.

For those deathly Bilious Spells, depend on SULPHUR BITTERS, it will cure you.

Ladies in delicate health, who are all run down, should use SULPHUR BITTERS.

The Giant Dyspepsia is cured by using SULPHUR BITTERS.

$1,000 will be paid for a case where SULPHUR BITTERS will not assist in cure. It never fails.

Operatives who are closely confined in the mills and workshops; Clerks, who do not procure sufficient exercise, and all who are confined in doors, should use SULPHUR BITTERS. They will not then be weak and sickly.

Cleanse the vitiated blood when you see its impurities bursting through the skin in Pimples, Blotches, and Sores. Rely on SULPHUR BITTERS, and health will follow.

General Debility needs a gentle tonic Use SULPHUR BITTERS, and you will not be troubled.

SULPHUR BITTERS will cure Liver Complaint. Don't be discouraged; it will cure you.

Don't be without a bottle. Try it; you will not regret it.

SULPHUR BITTERS will build you up and make you strong and healthy.

Sulphur Bitters.

Send two 3c. stamps to A. P. Ordway & Co., Lawrence, Mass., and receive an elegant set of Fancy Cards free.

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To strengthen the stomach, create an appetite, and remove the horrible depression and despondency which result from Indigestion, there is nothing so effective as Ayer's Pills. These Pills contain no calomel or other poisonous drug, act directly on the digestive and assimilative organs, and restore health and strength to the entire system. T. P. Bonner, Chester, Pa., writes: "I have used Ayer's Pills for the past 30 years, and am satisfied I should not have been alive to-day, if it had not been for them. They

Cured

me of Dyspepsia when all other remedies failed, and their occasional use has kept me in a healthy condition ever since." L. N. Smith, Utica, N. Y., writes: "I have used Ayer's Pills, for Liver troubles and Indigestion, a good many years, and have always found them prompt and efficient in their action." Richard Norris, Lynn, Mass., writes: "After much suffering, I have been cured of Dyspepsia and Liver troubles

By Using

Ayer's Pills. They have done me more good than any other medicine I have ever taken." John Burdett, Troy, Iowa, writes: "For nearly two years my life was rendered miserable by the horrors of Dyspepsia. Medical treatment afforded me only temporary relief, and I became reduced in flesh, and very much debilitated. A friend of mine, who had been similarly afflicted, advised me to try Ayer's Pills. I did so, and with the happiest results. My food soon ceased to distress me, my appetite returned, and I became as strong and well as ever."

Ayer's Pills,

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DR. J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass.
For sale by all Druggists.

Town of Woburn.

COLLECTOR'S SALE
—OF—
REAL ESTATE FOR NON-PAYMENT OF TAXES.

In conformity with the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the owners and occupants of the following described parcels of Real Estate, situated in the Town of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes on each of said parcels assessed for the year 1885, according to the list committed to me, as Collector of Taxes of said Woburn, by the Assessors of taxes of said Woburn, for said year, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered at public auction for sale by the Collector of said Woburn, at the office of the Collector, No. 172 Main street, Woburn, on THURSDAY, July 15, 1886, at 2 o'clock, P. M., for the payment of said taxes, together with interest from October 15, 1885, and the lawful cost and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

RESIDENTS.

Patrick Bishop Heirs.—About 7-16 of an acre of land and buildings on Washington street, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by or her land of said heirs, southerly by a private street, westerly by land now or late of one McKenna and easterly by said Washington street.
Tax of 1885 $8 40

Edward Clark.—About 1500 square feet of land and buildings, situated on Centre street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by land of Rose Connolly, southerly by land formerly of the late George Flagg deceased, easterly by land of Patrick Donavan, westerly by said Centre street.
Tax of 1885 $9 24

Job Curtis.—About one acre of land and buildings situate on School street and bounded as follow, viz:—Northerly by land of James McFeeley, northeasterly, easterly and southerly by land of Joseph M. Eaton and westerly by said School St.
Tax of 1885 $15 12

Edwin Eaton.—About 5-16 of an acre of land and buildings, situate on Pearl street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by Pearl street, westerly by land of Rhoda B. Greeley, southerly and easterly by land now or formerly of Bond and Tidd.
Tax of 1885, $15 96

Reuben Green.—About ¼ of an acre of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Pearl street, and bounded as follows, viz: Northerly by said Pearl street, easterly by land of Rhoda B. Greeley, southerly by land now of formerly of Bond and Tidd, and westerly by land of Elijah Rollins.
Tax of 1885, $16 80

Lucy A. Jones.—About one acres of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Main street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by Main street, northerly by land of C. H. Nichols, easterly by other land of said Jones, southerly partly by land of Town of Woburn, and partly by land of George Perry.
Tax of 1885, $23 52

Also, about one and one-half acres of land, situate on Main street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by land last above described, northerly partly by land of one Nichols, partly by land of one Tyler, partly by land one Flint, easterly and southerly by land of George Perry.
Tax of 1885, $2 52

Robert W. King.—About 5,285 square feet of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Green street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Green street, easterly by land of George E. Swan, westerly by land now or formerly of Ella S. Kellen, and southerly by land now or formerly of one Fowle.
Tax of 1885, $42 35

John H. Naven.—About 12,000 square feet of land, situate on Pond street, bounded as follows, to wit:—Northerly by Pond street, easterly by land of Timothy O'Connors, southerly by land of Mary Lavigne, and westerly by land of heirs of Moses A. Tyler, deceased.
Tax of 1885, $5 88

Susan M. Parks.—About one and a quarter acres of land with the buildings thereon situate on Minot street and bounded as follows viz:—northerly by land of John Williams, southerly by land of Sarah E. Pierce westerly by land of Geo. Poole, easterly by said Minot street.
Tax of 1885 $15 96

George Perry.—About 15 acres of land situate on Main street and bounded as follows, viz:—northerly, partly by land of town of Woburn, partly by land of Lucy A. Jones and partly by land of owners unknown, easterly by the old Middlesex Canal, southerly by land of F. C. P. Wheeler and westerly by Main street.
Tax of 1885 $36 12

Also about 3½ acres of meadow and tillage land near Nichols street, bounded as follows, to wit:—northerly by land of heirs of Oliver Fisher, southerly by land of Jonathan Thompson, easterly by land of J. O. Cummings and westerly by land of heirs of Albert Thompson.
Tax of 1885 $18 48

Rufus Poole.—About ½ acre of land and buildings thereon situate on Traverse St., and bounded as follows, to wit: northerly and easterly by land of heirs of Albert Thompson, westerly by land of Jonathan Thompson, and southerly by said Traverse street.
Tax of 1885 $13 94

John Smith.—About 5 acres of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Montvale Avenue and bounded as follows, viz: southerly by land of S. B. Holden, easterly by land of Sherman Converse, northerly partly by land of one Coakley partly by land of heirs of J. B. Converse and partly by land of Rufus Smith and westerly by land of Timothy Mahoney and said Montvale Avenue.
Tax of 1885 $25 56

Also, about 1-16 of an acre of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Centre street, and bounded as follow, viz:—Northerly by land formerly of James Begley, southerly by land of John Connolly, easterly by land of Patrick Smith, and westerly by Centre street.
Tax of 1885, $28 56

George H. West.—About ½ of an acre of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Franklin street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Franklin street, easterly by land of Edward Simonds, southerly by land of Joseph R. Green, and westerly by Park street.
Tax of 1885, $43 68

Henry K. White.—About ½ acre of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Vernon street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by said Vernon street, northerly and westerly by land formerly of Charles S. White, and southerly by land of Joseph G. Pollard.
Tax of 1885, $30 24

Charles T. Dearborn.—About 27,837 square feet of land, with the buildings thereon, situate on Elm street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Elm street, northerly by a private way leading easterly out of said Elm street, easterly and southerly by land of Jonathan Thompson.
Tax of 1885, $52 08

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Tax of 1885, $32 76

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Tax of 1885, $24 36

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NORTH WOBURN IN 1820.

No. 3.

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The enterprise of constructing the Canal was entered upon toward the close of the last, and prosecuted during the first three years of the present, century. At its opening in 1803, there was a great jubilee gathering under the direction of the elder Col. Baldwin in the house where he had previously had a Centennial jubilee in 1800,—the house now known as the Wheeler house. On the 29th of May, 1803, there was also an appropriate religious service on board one of the boats, supposed to have been detained for the purpose near Col. Baldwin's house, and a sermon was delivered by the Rev. Mr. Allen, probably Rev. Wilkes Allen, at that time the minister of Chelmsford, near the head of the Canal. This channel, regarded so great and important then, connected the Merrimack river at Chelmsford with what was sometimes called Charlestown "mill pond." It was between 27 and 28 miles in length and opened a continuous water-route of 80 miles from Boston to Concord, N. H. At various places along the course, the descent in the face of the Country made it necessary to construct a "lock," and sometimes, as at Horn Pond in this town, a series of locks. The water in the first lock at either end of every series being on a level with the water in the Canal, the boat or section of raft, which was to be taken through, would readily enter and await further operations. Each lock being an immense box, from 80 to 90 feet long, deep, and approximately watertight, the imprisoned boat was lowered to a level with the water in the next lower lock by means of flood-gates at the bottom operated from above. When thus lowered, the great double and heavy gates of entrance or exit at the end being opened, it could pass along into the next lock, and so repeat the process till it at last emerged into the Canal below all the series and go on its journey. Of course, a boat going the other way, or north, had simply to reverse the process and go through a series of ascents instead of descents.

I beg you will not understand me to attempt here a scientific description of this standing wonder of the boys of 1820 and onward. I speak of it only as it seemed to us then and as I remember it now.

Along this water-course, lumber, in rafts of about 75 feet long and 9 feet wide, and united in sections or "bands" not exceeding ten in number, was often seen passing down drawn by oxen upon the tow-path. Boats, from 40 feet to 75 feet in length, and laden with coal or other heavy luggage, much more frequently passed both ways, drawn each by a horse, one man acting as driver and another as steersman. The "packet," or passenger boat went down one day and up the next. It looked like a somewhat ornamented one story, flat-roofed house on a boat's bottom, and, being brawn by two horses instead of one, was allowed to move at the rate of four miles an hour, while the luggage boats could move only two and a half miles.

The young people, and, I scarcely need to add, especially the boys, never tired of seeing these boats pass. Somehow there was a great deal more of romance about their noiseless movement than there is or can be in the horrid screams and unearthly thundering of the hurrying railroad train. Particularly delightful was it to the boys, at some convenient place, to jump upon a passing boat and have a free ride. If they could, as some of us sometimes did, go to Horn Pond and have the ever exciting experience of going through the "locks," it was something to be remembered with a special satisfaction.

And then the old tow-path was a sort of enchanting walk, of which, when the Canal was, open for navigation, a large number of people availed themselves. In winter, too, when it was frozen up, it was a skating "rink" many times better than any other in town. I will only add that, with all my appreciation of the superior value of railroads, I have never become fully reconciled to the abandonment of the old Middlesex Canal.

On the subject of Schools in 1820, it will be difficult to speak without repeating a few of the facts given in the Centennial history of Woburn Schools which I was requested to prepare for publication in 1876. Much, however, was left unsaid in that history.

The old school-house of 1820, was the first ever built in this part of the town. It was a subject of much deliberation and of many discussions. And even after the work of erection was begun, in 1792, several years elapsed before it was fully completed. It stood on land, owned by Samuel Thompson, Esq., nearly opposite the present residences of Charles R. and Henry Thompson on Elm street. After standing there many years, it was moved up Ward street to a site near the present residence of Marshall Tidd. This locality not proving satisfactory, it was moved again to the corner of what is now School street at its junction with Main, where is now the garden of Mrs. M. F. Winn. It was finally sold, and has for several years been a part of the dwelling house on School street, occupied by P. M. Warland.

This well remembered house was twenty feet square. The school-room was eight feet high. On one of the four sides, looking south, was a small porch, and on each side, two small windows. The house was unpainted, dingy and dirty, within and without. Close by the inner door on the right, was the large high and unsightly desk of the teacher. There were on the blackened walls, no maps, no pictures, no blackboard, no clock. No globe, no bell, no aids to study, in any form, were on the teacher's desk, but, instead, a very significant ruler and a well remembered rod and other weapons of offence and defence. In the centre of the room, stood a large, dusty, shaky, old fashioned "box stove," which, in winter, was generally kept well filled with wood, and was often red hot. Immediately around and only a few feet distant from the stove on three sides, was a very narrow plank seat for the youngest scholars, the seat having a perpendicular back considerable higher than the heads of the little ones when seated on it, and absolutely nothing in front on which to rest hand or head. Sometimes the poor little sufferers, exposed to a suffocating heat and having nothing whatever to do, fell asleep and rolled from their seats, to the great merriment of the older and more wakeful scholars.

Just above and closely connected with this "little seat," was another with an inclined plank desk, if desk it could be called, for the "middling" scholars. These seats had no backs, but where there should have been backs, there was a very narrow passage separating them from the next higher seat, and affording no protection for the backs or the clothing of the occupants except such as might result from the special care of the passer-by. Then, on the other side of this narrow passage and a little higher still, was the seat for the largest and oldest scholars with its continuous desk against the wall of the house. The occupants of this seat, embracing often, in the winter, young men from eighteen to twenty-one years of age, and, in some instances, even older, generally sat facing the wall and of course, with their backs turned toward the teacher's desk and most of the scholars. This seat was also unprovided with a back. All these seats were continuous around three sides of the room, and all were of plank, the widest being only seven and a half inches wide.

The course of study in the schools of 1820, was meagre indeed. To read, to write, to spell and to "cypher" was generally the whole of it. Mental arithmetic, at least so far as Woburn was concerned, was not invented. Grammar was never studied. It was not till several years later, that the first class in Grammar I ever knew was organized. This was a volunteer class made up at first, wholly of the older girls, and, at the urgent request of the teacher, accompanied with the gift of the necessary text-book, I became, so far as I knew or have ever known since, the first and the only boy in Woburn in the times under consideration, to study Grammar. It could hardly be said that there was any well defined system of study. Nearly everything was optional. And as there was no music, no declamation, and no reading of original compositions, almost the only relief from the dull and often nearly profitless routine of school exercises, was the occasional wide-awake "Spelling Match." Two persons, designated for the purpose, alternately chose from such members of the school as they preferred. Those who composed the "sides," arranged themselves as they were chosen, in the opposite aisles of the school-room where they stood facing each other. As fast as any missed, they dropped from the contesting ranks, and the last that stood was the victor.

I am sorry that I cannot speak of the School government of 60 years ago with approbation. Perhaps it may be said that the teacher was, from the necessities of the case, an autocrat and, in some sense a despot. There were no adequate school laws, in town or State, to meet the case. The teacher had no superintendent and no committee behind him to sustain him when right or check him when wrong. He stood alone, "the monarch of all he surveyed," and thought himself bound to enforce his own authority and rules in his own way. And when the despot was also the tyrant, the result was often fearful. There were occasions when the teacher and one or more of the larger young men of the so-called scholars came to mutual blows with fists, sticks, boots and any other available weapon in the presence and before the eyes of the children. Of course the influence of such scenes could not be otherwise than, to the last degree, demoralizing. In at least two instances, which have haunted my own memory ever since, it was almost a literal illustration of the old suggestive words, "knock down and drag out." By the necessities of the case, the youngest scholars sat nearest the arena of the fight. And I can scarcely think of the horror-stricken little ones and the terror of the older ones as well, amid these occasional scenes in our Winter schools, without a sigh of relief that "the winter of our discontent" is over and gone. And yet, aside from this relic of barbarism, we had in those days and for those days some excellent teachers. Sylvanus and Augustus Plympton, Charles Wyman, William Leathe, Luke Fowle, William Smith and others were above the average for their day. I cherish kindly feelings for them all. And I cannot help feeling that the evils of school government, at the time under review, were the fault of the system or the lack of system, rather than of the men. I am happy to close what I have to say of the schools of my boyhood days, by saying that I never, myself, in a single instance, had either dispute or quarrel with any teacher male or female.

A Washington Romance.

For a number of years in Washington City, says a local corresodondent, there has been a tall, slim, beautiful blonde whom every one called Jo Chesney, and who was to be met at every house where wit and culture were appreciated. There was a saying among her friends that she simply lodged at home and "took her meals out," because there were so many tables to which she was a welcome guest that the week was not long enough to get around to each in turn. She has lived alone and has always calmly followed her own devices in finding her amusements and regulating her life, so that Washington has been in a chronic condition of being shocked at her bland ignoring of all social rules; but, seeing she cared not a fig, society at last grew accustomed to vagaries and, being hers, rather liked them. She received men, as many of them as amused her, dined with them, drove with them, treated them as good and jolly comrades; and not one of all these she chose to call friend would not have fought in a minute any idiot who had dared to say anything disrespectful of handsome, frank, honest Jo Chesney.

She had a secret in her life that not even the female newspaper correspondents could quite unveil. It might be noon or it might be midnight when Jo Chesney would send to the club for one of her friends, or if he could not be found go alone into the slums or into the bar-rooms to look for a man who had escaped from the inebriate asylum. When she found him she carried him back and then let the whole incident drop into silence, and no one was quite brave enough to insist upon an explanation. This man, who would be taken home helplessly inebriated to the asylum from which he had fled, was George H. Butler, one of the most brilliant and talented young men of his generation, who threw away the great career prophesied for him by reason of his fatal passion. He married the actress Rose Eytinge and went as consul to Egypt, but immediately after their return she secured a divorce from him on the plea of intemperance. He grew only worse as time went on, and eventually consented to be sent to the asylum as a last hope, but constantly broke away and hid himself in the slums, from which he was patiently rescued by Miss Chesney. She visited him in the asylum and watched tenderly over him, and if it had been any one but her, society would not have hesitated to say that this was too eccentric to be tolerated, but she was altogeter an unnsual person herself and so many breaches of social usage were to be charged up to her account that one more or less really did not signify.

In the Washington papers recently appeared the notice of the death of Geo. H. Butler, and immediately beneath it a notice of marriage, which set forth that George Butler had, in the State of Maryland, in the year 1880, been, by the Rev. Byron Sunderland, D. D., married to Josepine Chesney. When Washington read that latter notice it opened its eyes very wide, drew in its breath and said:

"So that was the explanation of it, after all. How strange!"

The woman who had borne and suffered in secret so long in the vain hope of rescuing the man she loved from his besetting sin was born in Georgia, the daughter of a presbyterian minister. When the civil war began she went to the hospitals, spending those four years in caring for the sick and wounded. Her first appearance in Washington was as the secretary of Senator Patterson, South Carolina. It was here that she met George Butler, and as soon as his wife gave him up she secretly married him and undertook the hopeless task of curing him of the disease that had stood in the path of his honor and advancement. How the struggle of her love and patience, her courage and brave solitary confidence ended those two notices sum up more sadly than pages of eloquence.

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The Rev. Wm. Stout, Wiarton, Ont., states: "After being ineffectually treated by seventeen different doctors for Scrofula and blood diseases, I was cured by Burdock Blood Bitters." Write him for proof.

Our Dumb Friends.

"I wonder if we shall manage to 'catch the train'?" coolly remarked an elegantly dressed young lady, looking at her watch from the gold chain of which depended numerous glittering charms. "I had no idea it was so late—this is such a delightful novel!"

"Dear me, how annoying!" replied her mamma hurriedly finishing her coffee. "We *must* catch the *next* train, or the carriage will not be waiting to receive us! Pray ring the bell instantly, Ellen."

"John," to the footman who answered the summons, "fetch a cab instantly! Of course Watson has packed everything in readiness for us!"

"Yes, ma'am."

"Then do not lose a moment!"

John rushed off in search of a cab, and returned in a few minutes.

"Now tell the cabman we *must* reach the terminus in less than a quarter of an hour. We will pay him double his fare."

"Yes, ma'am."

The ladies hurry into the cab, boxes are heaped up, and the cab-horse whipped well. Poor horse! It is twelve o'clock—a burning July noon. Its sides are covered with dust and perspiration, its mouth dry, its knees shaking. They passed hurriedly the cattle-trough, where humane drivers are allowing their horses to plunge their nostrils into the cold water, and take long draughts, reviving their flagging strength. The poor cab-horse scents the water, and turns for a moment its head toward the trough, but the cabman fiercely pulls at his mouth, and renews the lashing of the whip.

Faint and quivering, the horse staggers up to the railway station; the ladies alight, and give the double fare to the cabman, and rush away, glad to find they have "*caught the train.*" And now the cabman has time to consider the horse's state. It slowly creeps away, and the cabman finds the whip will not do much. He gets down; for the panting condition of the poor animal surprises him. He has tried too much of this weather, he thinks. The horse's tongue is seen, white and dry, the eyes wild and blood-shot. They go on slowly, and turn a corner homewards. The horse slips, staggers, then falls down on its side. It raises its head wildly, then lays it down, never to raise it again!

A policeman hurries up, a few passers-by come round, and look with genuine sympathy at the cabman, who is standing over his poor horse, and, with tears in his eyes, exclaims—

"Poor Meg! poor old friend? This is a bad day for me and children! I've hurried her, you see, to please those ladies, and if they'd have *given me time* I shouldn't have lost her. I was tempted by double fare, and they were *late*."

A word to summer tourists. Rise in good time, and make proper preparation for your trip; and do not distress horses and bribe cabmen because you are indolent and procrastinating.

A Soldier of Fortune.

Glancing through a Philadelphia newspaper a few days ago my attention was arrested by a brief paragraph, dated at an interior town in that State which read as follows:

"Isaac Taylor, a former citizen of this place, committed suicide last night by hanging. Mr. Taylor had been employed until recently as a clerk in the treasury department at Washington, D. C."

Taylor was one of the characters of Washington. Thirty years of his life (he was sixty at the time of his death) were spent in travel and adventure. He had visited every habitable country on the globe. He spoke half a dozen languages fluently, and was one of the most delightful conversationalists I have ever known. He made the overland trip to California in his early youth. In San Francisco he joined a party of Americans bound for the Sandwich Islands. While en route Taylor discovered that the object of the expedition was the overthrow of the existing monarchy in those lands and the formation of a new government. There was a rebellious spirit afloat in the kingdom, and the adventureous foreigners calculated to take advantage of it for their own ends.

Taylor said nothing, but upon their arrival in Honolulu he sought an audience with the king and unfolded to him the details of the plot. The conspirators were banished from the island. Taylor remained and was speedily installed as the king's favorite. To crown all, the king's sister, a beautiful Hawaiian princess, fell in love with the dashing American, and, at the king's suggestion, offered him her hand and fortune. Taylor received the most positive assurance that his marriage to the princess would make him heir to the crown. He declined the honor, however, with thanks. In talking with his Washington friends Taylor used to say that, although he never regretted the refusal, he felt positive, that had he espoused the dusky princess, the king's pledge would have been faithfully kept.

Years afterward Taylor returned to the United States, and served as a soldier in a Pennsylvania regiment. In the course of time he drifted to Washington, where he secured a minor clerkship in the treasury department. About six months ago he was dismissed from government service on account of his irregular habits. Broken in health and in fortune, he at last returned to the obscure Pennsylvania village which he quitted a light-hearted, adventurous boy forty years ago. Within a fortnight after his arrival he ended his life in the manner above described. — *Chicago News.*

Free Shade, Middlesex, Co., Va.,
Having used Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup in my family with the greatest degree of satisfaction, I unhesitatingly recommend it as the best remedy that I know of for children.
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A Stump Speaker "Up a Stump."

Stories of General George A. Sheridan, the stump speaker and lecturer, who is generally paraded as "of Louisiana," are often to be heard in the places where public men gather. He is said to have once declared the axiom that the one thing which a stump orator does not need to burden himself with is facts. It is the General's idea that a facile speaker can create all the facts he wants as he goes along in his speech. In illustration of his meaning he told a story of an occurrence when he was out on a tour with General Garfield. He had made an assertion with reference to the tariff which seemed to him to need some bolstering and he said that his statement had been based on a decision of the highest court of the State of New York. He was about to pass on, when a young man in the audience interrupted him and begged permission to ask where this decision could be found. The General was "up a stump" and as a fight for time in the hope that Garfield might help him out, he asked the inquirer, "Are you a lawyer?" The stranger replied in the affirmative. "I thought so," said Sheridan. "You look like a smart and intelligent one at that. You have doubtless read this decision yourself many times." By this time it became apparent to Sheridan that Garfield was enjoying his discomfiture and that he must get out of his scrape the best he could. It flashed across his mind that there was a report in New York known as Denio's, and he said: "The report is in 5th Denio, page so and so." The young lawyer wavered a minute and then sat down, saying meekly, "Ah, yes, I do remember now having read it myself." Sheridan says that he had curiosity afterward to look up the particular page to which he referred the inquisitive young fellow, and found that it was the middle of a report of a case involving questions of idiocy.—*New York Tribune.*

Women in Newspaper Offices.

Most people unfamiliar with newspaper offices have a large amount of curiosity about the workers in them, and especially about women who may chance to earn their living by writing. A woman journalist is regarded by the general public as a peculiar creature, somewhat isolated from the rest of her sex by the fact of her occupation and by her knowledge of the mysteries of newspaper-making. The little army of women writers for the press is constantly increasing, though there are still only about 500 in this country who do regular editorial work on papers of position.

The three great requisites for a woman journalist are good health, good sense and good temper. Armed with these any girl who really wishes to enter journalism, and has a knack at writing, may hope for success. There is always a market for the best work, and editors are progressive people, who recognize fully the growing need of feminine representation in the newspapers whose readers are so largely women. For women in general read the papers more and more every year, and those among them who have an instinct which tells them what the rest wish to read may hope for a hearing for what they have to say. This suggests the naming of an indespensable factor in journalism which is hard to describe to the outside aspirant. Among writers for the daily press it is called "the newspaper nose," and unless one has this nose, at least in a rudimentary stage, one need not expect to make a good journalist. In other words, unless one has a gift at discrimination, of knowing what people want to read, of grasping the spirit of the week, so to speak, one cannot become a good newspaper writer, no matter what capabilities she may have in what is called distinctively literary work. But even more often than not such capabilities are best trained in journalism, where, in the midst of much that is evanscent and trivial, an earnest mind can lay hold of life in a way that often proves as effective in later literary work as the degrees of facility with the pen which is also obtained.—*Boston Record.*

An End to Bone Scraping.
Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by Wm. W. Hill.

A fisherman caught a five-pound pickerel in the Mississippi River. In its stomach was a pickerel five inches long. In the stomach of the second fish was a pickerel fry two inches in length.

Washington and Bunker Hill.

It was on the 15th day of June, 1775 that George Washington was chosen Commander-in-Chief of the American army. The next day he made his answer to Congress, in which he declared that he accepted the office, but that he would take no pay. He left Philadelphia on his way to Boston, June 27, escorted by a troop of horsemen, and accompanied by Schuyler and Lee, who had just been made major-generals by Congress. They had gone about twenty miles when they saw a man on horseback coming rapidly down the road. It was a messenger riding poste-hast to Philadelphia, and carrying to Congress news of the battle of Bunker Hill. Everybody was stirred by the news and wanted to know the particulars.

"Why, were the Provincials compelled to retreat?" he asked.

"It was for want of amunition," he replied.

"Did they stand the fire of the regular troops?" asked Washington anxiously.

"That they did, and held their own fire in reserve until the enemy was within eight rods."

"Then the liberties of the country are safe!" exclaimed Washington. He remembered well the scenes under Braddock, and he knew what a sight it must have been to those New England farmers when a compact body of uniformed soldiers came marching up from the boats at Charlestown. If they could stand fearlessly, there was stuff in them for soldiers.—*St. Nicholas for June.*

No Up-hill Niagara Current.

The Pittsburgh *Dispatch* says: In making the survey of the proposed Whirlpool Railway at Niagara Falls, which will run along the bank at the edge of the river from the inclined railway to the whirlpool, the engineers have run across some facts which will surprise scientists. When the survey was made in 1851 for the Suspension Bridge of the Great Western Railway, it was claimed from the surveys that the river was higher at the Suspension Bridge than at the foot of the falls, and this theory was accepted, it being claimed that "the immense pressure from the falls carried the water up hill."

The present survey, which gives the first levels ever taken through the water line, explodes the up-hill theory, and shows that, from the foot of the inclined railway to the Cantilever Bridge, two miles, the incline is six feet, and from the Cantilever Bridge to the whirlpool, a little less than a mile, it is 54 1-2 feet, thus giving the water the terrible force it attains in going through the whirlpool.

What was it, John,
That made your face so free and clear from pimples, said his sweetheart. Why, don't you know, Eva? For over a year I took everything I could think of without helping me, then I bought two bottles of Sulphur Bitters, and now I haven't one pimple on my face. It is the best blood cleanser I ever saw.

A correspondent wants to know why a ball is called a "hop." Watch the gentlemen as they evade the ladies trains and you will tumble.

Some Foolish People
Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh, it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which we sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 5c. and $1.00. *Trial size free.* Charles H. Buss, Druggist.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

☞ Several leading journals of the country and a larger number of warm personal friends have suggested Hon. George W. Childs, proprietor of the *Public Ledger* of Philadelphia, as a proper person for the workingmen's candidate for President in 1888, and a more suitable or popular selection could not be made if the honor should fall to him. He has always been a sturdy friend of the laboring class, and a generous dispenser of means to advance their interests, and were he a candidate for the high office of Chief Executive of the Nation they would give him their solid support. But in his paper of date June 9th, Mr. Childs says this cannot be—under no circumstances can he consent to become a candidate for the presidency—and however generally and sincerely his decision may be deplored, the word has gone forth, and it will be useless to ask the distinguished journalist to accept the honor of being the workingmen's standard-bearer in the next campaign.

☞ The Massachusetts General Court has not adjourned yet. The first of July is talked of as about the time when it will quit business, and should it do so a round six months will be the length of the term. No wonder public sentiment in the State is growing in favor of biennial sessions. Under the present constitutional arrangements the Legislature is together half of the time, year in and year out, and it is an outrage on the people. They feel it so to be, and if the opportunity was given them they would wipe out annual elections in short metre. Formerly and the fore part of last winter *The State* was a staunch advocate of the present system; recently it has become thoroughly disgusted; now it clamors for a constitutional amendment that shall effectually abate the nuisance of annual sessions of which the people are generally complaining.

☞ The legislative committee on the Senatorial redistricting of the State have agreed on and promulgated a report, the Democratic minority representation on the committee dissenting. They have torn the State all to pieces. Woburn has fallen into strange company in the new division, to wit: The Fifth Middlesex Senatorial District shall be composed of the following towns: Acton, Ashby, Ayer, Bedford, Billerica, Boxboro, Burlington, Carlisle, Chelmsford, Dracut, Dunstable, Groton, Hudson, Littleton, Pepperell, Shirley, Stowe, Tewksbury, Townsend, Tyngsboro, Westford, Woburn.

☞ Last week the stalwart wing of the Massachusetts Democracy got another slap in the face from President Cleveland. Congressmen Collins and Lovering and the stalwarts wanted ex-Mayor Breen appointed postmaster at Lawrence, but the president turned a deaf ear to their entreaties and put in Patrick Murphy. It isn't much wonder that Mr. Collins aches to get out of politics.

☞ Linn B. Porter, Esq., who has conducted the Cambridge *Chronicle* with marked ability and success for the past dozen years, has sold the paper to Mr. F. S. Hill, an old journalist. Prosperity to the new proprietor say we.

☞ Lieut. Gov. Ames has the inside track by a large majority for the gubernatorial nomination this fall. He is the man the people want for the office.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

J. B. McDonald—Coal.
W. G. Foley—Portraits.
J. G. Maguire—Citation.
S. B. Goddard—Insurance.
J. W. Johnson—Mortg. Sale.
Paine Furniture Co.—Furniture.
J. G. Maguire—App. for License.

— Read W. G. Foley's card in this paper.

— Considerable rain has fallen this week, and the ground is well soaked.

— Remember the supper at the M. E. church next Thursday evening.

— A side-track is being built to the tannery of Capt. J. P. Crane & Co.

— The National Band will give a grand picnic in Hiawatha Grove on July 5.

— "*Is* it a 250-horse-power engine" that Mr. Simonds is putting in, dear *Advertiser?*

— As busy a store as there is in Woburn is Smith & Son's. They have a firstrate custom.

— Wednesday was a pretty hot day, and coming just after a copious rain the earth steamed good.

— The handsome residence of Col. Hayes is approaching completion. Mr. W. H. Slater is now painting it.

— President Breed and Treasurer Monks were out here last Wednesday looking after their street railway.

— Ice cream will be served by the ladies in the parlors of the M. E. Church on Thursday evening, June 24.

— Dea. Hiram Whitford is building a house on Auburn street. Others are in process of erection all over the town.

— Mr. J. Leathe is selling a first class men's low shoe for summer wear at very low figures. Go and see if he isn't.

— The Town By-laws, recently adopted by a vote of the people, have been approved by the proper Court, and after being duly published will go into effect.

— Mr. W H. Curtis has been under the weather this week, but his famous Bazaar has boomed right along as usual.

— Each week F. S. Burgess advertises a line of bargains which accounts in a large measure for his prosperous business.

— The condensation and classification of the latest news by the Boston *Herald* is a new and excellent feature of that sterling paper.

— We are looking for the day to come pretty soon when electric lighting will be so cheap that its use will become general: it is getting so now.

— A government inspector from the P. O. Department looked over the Woburn Centre postoffice early this week and found everything O. K.

— There was a bad break in the water main on Montvale Avenue about 6 o'clock Tuesday evening, to repair which took the better part of the night.

— Last Wednesday evening Co. G, 5th M. V. M., elected George E. Simonds, captain; Albert J. Dickinson, 1st Lieut.; Horace N. Conn, 2d Lieut.

— Clerk Hill says the Assessors are making good progress on booking the takes of 1886, and that they will be committed to the Collector promptly on time.

— The Woburn Brass Band will give one of their excellent summer concerts on the Common, next Wednesday. A very fine programme has been selected.

— The police have made many arrests within a week past for undue intoxication and quite a number of persons have been sent to the House of Correction.

— The ladies of the M. E. Church will provide and give a supper in the dining-room of the church on next Thursday evening, June 24. Don't forget it.

— And still the venerable editor of the *Advertiser* and member of the Perpetual Committee preserves a tantalizing silence respecting a celebration here next 4th of July.

— Our wide awake Town Collector, J. G. Maguire, Esq., appears to be right after delinquent tax-payers, as will be seen by reference to his manifesto in this paper.

— The team of Mr. Fred A. Hartwell which made a furious dash on Main street last Monday morning was handsomely caught and stopped by Mr. Charles B. Hawkins.

— Last Wednesday afternoon the Highway Committee and other members of the Board of Selectmen took a barge and cast an official eye along the North Woburn Street Railway.

— Neighbor Allen is making good progress in securing subscriptions and advertisements for his Town Directory. It will be a valuable guide and every business man should give it a lift.

— Mr. L. W. Perham will remodel the Common street school house for town offices. It will make an excellent place for headquarters of the different Boards and a district Court room.

— Our citizens desiring anything in the Curtain, Drapery or Upholstery goods, can obtain samples and estimates from Paine's Furniture Company, 48 Canal street, Boston, free of charge.

—At the time of his death Mr. Lincoln Emerson had an insurance in the Knights of Honor for $3,000. For this he paid just $191, showing that life insurance is a good and profitable thing.

— The Highway Committee contemplate macadamizing Main street to New Boston street this summer. Street Superintendent Johnson talks as though the work would begin pretty soon.

— Worms, bugs or something are making sad havoc with the foliage of many of the elms, maples and fruit trees in town. Some trees have been nearly denuded of their bright summer dresses.

— We hear there are several candidates for the Montvale post office, among them Mrs. A. H. Richardson and Thomas Kerrigan. The emoluments of the office are hardly worth a very big fight.

— By a bold, shrewd game a rogue got $5 at W. H. Cummings's store last week while the proprietor was temporarily absent. A plausible story told a clerk fetched the change he was after. And then he fled.

— What's the use of squirming and making such a hullabaloo about it? Murry's going to get his license, and if the Montvale and Stoneham folks don't like they can lump it. Murry's going to win sure's yer born.

— Lost on Mount Pleasant street, last Saturday, a plain gold band finger ring, inscribed on the inside. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at No. 37 Mount Pleasant street, Woburn.

— The old currying shop of Cobb & Beggs at Cross street has been rented by Patrick McGowan, who is having it put into good repair and first rate order. Business, with about 40 hands, will begin within a week or so.

— Mrs. Elisha J. Mann will leave here for New York next Monday and there embark on board of a steamer for Bogota, South America, where her husband is engaged in business. Her many friends hope she will have a pleasant voyage.

— Last Monday morning Mr. Sibley, mail-carrier between Woburn Centre and Burlington Centre, met with quite a mishap in front of Smith's jewelry store. His horse fell down and Mr. Sibley fell off the wagon, and for a time it was quite a mixed-up affair. Men in the vicinity assisted both horse and driver to recover their feet, and we are happy to say no great injury was done.

— Hon. B. F. Whittemore returned from New York and Philadelphia a few days ago, but not until he had secured the New England agency for the sale of Gen. McClellan's book, and the volume soon to be issued from the pen of the Pope of Rome.

— Mr. Wilkinson, a hardware dealer on Washington street, Boston, wants to procure a factory with power in Woburn to manufacture small tools. This is an opportunity to secure business that the Board of Trade ought not to let slip through its fingers.

— W. V. Kellen, Esq., of Jamaica Plain, recently a resident of Woburn, left last week for California where he will remain until next August. Rest and recreation are what he seeks, and all his good friends here hope he will find them in unstinted measure.

— The Young Peoples' meeting of the Congregational church will begin at 5.45 next Sunday afternoon, and is to be led by Mr. William Richardson, a former resident of Woburn, whose subject will be, "What Music has done for the World."

— Being ill at the present time it is not certain that Mrs. Barakat of Syria will be able to meet her appointment to come here and deliver an address as expected. It is hoped by the Ladies' Missionary Society that the distinguished lady will sufficently recover to be able to come.

— The National Band treated the public to a very nice and entertaining concert on the Common last Wednesday evening. An excellent programme was given, and a large audience composed of Woburn and out of town people enjoyed it very much.

— June roses are in splendid bloom around the houses and in the gardens of our townspeople of taste. They not only look beautiful, and give out a delicious perfume, but show a love of the delightful on the part of some folks which is commendable.

— Last week a monument was raised at Pelham, N. H., in memory of Dea. Parker, the first settler of that town. He was born in Woburn. We are beginning to think that almost all the old people were born here, among them the ancestors of two Democratic Presidents —Pierce and Cleveland.

— The funeral of James Nelson took place on Sunday, and was a very large one. Division No. 3, A. O. H. attended in a body, and many mourners went in hacks and carriages to the grave. Mr. Nelson came to Woburn in 1835 from Ireland, and was the first naturalized voter in the town.

— Tickets are sold at the B. & L. R. R. depot here for Bedford Springs, good for the day, the price of which is $1.75 for the round trip, and a good dinner at the Bedford Springs House included. For a day's quiet pleasure, with a pleasant ride thrown in, there is no place that surpasses Bedford Springs.

— Within a short time the Sun Electric Light Company of this place will have 100 men in their employ. Orders for their goods are coming in every day from all quarters of the country, to fill which and do the work that an increased demand for their lamps is sure to have, will require large additions to their operating forces.

— The *Advertiser* rolls the Assessors' population report as a sweet morsel under its tongue. Whatever influence that paper has is opposed to the best interests of the town. While others are trying to do something for the growth of Woburn the *Advertiser* gigs back into the breeching and interposes obstacles, or tries to.

— In the course of two or three weeks active operations on laying a water main from the pumping station through Canal street to the Pleasant street main will begin. Preparations are now under way for the work. If we remember correctly about $13,000 were appropriated for this work, which is very much needed.

— Master Willie L. Murdock, of the Graduating Class of the High School of this town, has just passed a successful examination to enter the Institute of Technology, Boston. This, with the completion of the High School course in three years, is very creditable to both pupil and teachers. Henry Mann also enters the same Institution.

— Mrs. Emma Mitchell of Lacrosse, Wisconsin, is visiting relatives and friends, a good many of which she has here. She used to be a frequent and esteemed correspondent of the JOURNAL and, ten or a dozen years ago, wrote many excellent sketches, etc., for its columns. She proposes to make quite a visit with her people here.

— Mrs. P. L. Eaton sent us a good big box of strawberries yesterday, which, taken all through, were the largest and handsomest we ever saw. Each one was simply a monster of beautiful color, and the affinity between that box of strawberries and a certain tooth of ours was remarkable. Mrs. Eaton will please accept our thanks.

— Last Tuesday the snuffers left the currying shop of Mr. Duncan near No. Warren street. A new boss by the name of Sullivan had been put in by Mr. Duncan who was obnoxious to the snuffers, and as he was retained they left. The matter was soon adjusted to the satisfaction of all hands by the discharge of Sullivan. The K. of L. had no hand in this strike.

— A goodly number of members attended the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trade last Tuesday evening, which was presided over by President F. A. Flint. Reports by several committees were presented and accepted, but the most important one, that on the present train service here, consisting of James Skinner, W. T. Grammer and F. H. Lewis, was not forthcoming on account of the inability of the committee to secure a meeting with General Superintendent Mellen of the Railroad Company at their visit on Tuesday morning. They will go to Mr. Mellen's office in Boston again to-day and try to have a conference with him. The Board are in earnest in this matter, and it is believed they will, through their energetic committee, secure better train service for Woburn very soon. A lengthy and spirited discussion was had on this train and other business. The membership of the Board is increasing; money is flowing in; and the leading business men of the town are becoming more and more interested in its success.

— At Gloucester, last Tuesday afternoon, Manuel Perry of that city, the well-known poloist of this season's Woburn team, was united in marriage with Miss Kate Williams, daughter of Officer Martin Williams. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Rev. Father Healey of St. Ann's Church. The wedded party held a reception at their summer residence, Stanwood's Point.

— The new depot will be completed early in August. It will be a fine one when done. The brick work of the tower is finished, and the 20 feet additional of wood is begun. The inside and veranda are well under way, and show something of what the building is to be. One of the fireplaces is about finished and shows off handsomely. We think our people will be pleased with the new depot.

— Mrs. A. M. Winn has finished one very nice cottage on Main street and has commenced another, somewhat larger, just this side of it. The first, soon to be occupied by Mr. Cummings, is one of the best built, most convenient, and neatest houses in town, and the location is pleasant and handy. Mr. L. W. Perham was the builder. It has all modern arrangements for comfort, is handsomely finished, and will make an admirable home for its occupant.

— At the annual meeting of the Soldiers' Ladies' Aid Society, held in G. A. R. Hall last Monday evening, the following officers were chosen: President, Mrs. Henry W. Dean; Vice President, Mrs. William Arnold; Secretary, Mrs. Thomas I. Brown; Treasurer, Mrs. Rufus R. Whitten; Soldiers' Home Committee, Madams A. E. Cutler and William H. Mathews. A good supper was served and a pleasant evening enjoyed. The Society is in a prosperous condition.

— Miss Fannie Hall, who has charge of the Burlington school in Ward 20, Salt Lake City, under the "New West Education Commission," will arrive in Boston to-morrow on her summer vacation East. Her home is at East Lexington, and our people will remember her as the gifted lady who made an interesting address on the work of the Commission in the Congregational Church some time since. Possibly they will enjoy the privilege of listening to her again this summer.

— Mr. N. J. Simonds has put a 70-H. P. engine into the room lately occupied by Freeman & Co., to furnish power for his electric light system. It is built for the purpose, making 250 revolutions to 75 made by the one it takes the place of, and of greater capacity. The dynamo will be placed in the same room. In what was Freeman's counting-room will be exhibited a variety of lamps, lanterns, reflectors, etc., in order that vistors can see what Mr. Simonds's plant can do.

— The idea seems to prevail quite generally that a fine, massive granite watering-trough ought to be put around that noble elm which the town generously and patriotically voted to save. As voiced by the public the plan is to remove the hydrant and posts which stand near the tree, put up a trough such as we have hastily and imperfectly described above, and dedicate it to public uses. This would obviate all danger of teams colliding with the elm, and remove the only objection to its remaining.

— F. N. Blake, Esq., of Danvers is visiting his brother, E. N. Blake, Esq. on Abbott street. Although Mr. Blake is in the prime of life he has helped make considerable history in the last 30 years, having been an active participant in the Kansas troubles in 1855-6, a member of the first Legislature in that State, and afterwards the publisher of a newspaper there. Subsequently Mr. Blake was U. S. Consul in Canada, and was in Hamilton in that official capacity at the time of the great Fenian raid. He is enjoying his visit with his brother.

— Mr. Frank A. Robbins's circus and shows exhibited here yesterday and drew immense crowds of people, who were fully satisfied with the entertainment. This is one of the very best exhibitions of the kind that has ever visited Woburn. The street parade, with two excellent brass bands, was a real fine one, and attracted multitudes of men women and children. Under the mammoth tents the show was first class in every particular. The circus artists were of the very best, and their feats of riding, vaulting, etc., were unsurpassed in brilliancy and effect. There was good show of animals, and on the whole, it was an excellent exhibition.

— If proper efforts were put forth more summer boarders could be induced to spend their vacation in this beautiful old Woburn than now do so. You may tell us of the mountains of New Hampshire, the hills and vales and seaside nooks of Maine, and the fashionable watering places of the Old Bay State; but, ladies and gentlemen, for invigorating breezes, pure water, delightful scenery, pleasant drives, cool groves, and stretches of blue waters—for things lovely in nature and charming in art—the suffocating and suffering denizens of the pent-up city can find no spot on this beautiful earth that surpasses Woburn. And they ought to come out here and board through the summer.

— It is in the mouth of almost everybody on the street that the meeting of the Board of Selectmen last Tuesday evening was anything but a love-feast. For an hour or so words, that could by no stretch of the imagination be called fraternal, flew back and forth among the members, some of which hit the bull's eye, while others were not so fortunate. It was all on account of rum and the matter of licensing it. One member of the Police Committee got so mad that he resigned from the same, but to punish him his resignation was refused and there he remains. Truly it was something more than a tempest in a teapot, and the "surface indications" are that the trouble is not settled yet.

— Capt. George M. Buchanan of the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx (Co. G., 5th Regt., M. V. M.) has sent in his resignation as commander of the Company, on account of private business. He will be a loss to the Phalanx. The Boston *Courier* of last Sunday contained the following of Capt. Buchanan's resignation: The militia is deprived of the services of a valuable officer in the resignation of Captain George M. Buchanan, of the Woburn Company (G,) of the Fifth Infantry, M. V. M., with which organization he has been connected almost continuously since May 1866. Captain Buchanan is the son-in-law of Colonel Grammer, of Woburn, one of the most popular officers of the "old school" in the Commonwealth.

— Yesterday was Bunker Hill Day, so named on account of a battle that was fought between the British and Americans on Breed's Hill in Charlestown on that day one hundred and eleven years ago. School scholars may remember studying something about it. If not they can turn to Goodrich's History and learn all about the interesting event. Well, they celebrated the day down at Charlestown yesterday, and a great many Woburn people went down to help them do it up in grand shape, which they did. It was a hot one—just about such a day as it was June 17, 1775, but neither patriots of that date or yesterday cared about heat, because they were so patriotic. The anniversary was duly observed in Woburn and neighboring towns.

— The public are respectfully invited to call and examine the different varieties of the 4,000 to 5,000 tons of fresh-mined coal recently put in by Mr. J. B. McDonald. The stock consists of Lackawana and the celebrated Jermyn coals; a cargo of the famous Draper Lehigh, the finest for domestic purposes that is in use; large quantities of Provincial and American bituminous coal of all qualities; a cargo of 1000 tons of the Maryland Company's celebrated George's Creek; a large amount of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre's Wilkesbarre coal, and other kinds, all direct from the mines and warranted of the best quality. Consumers who would like to see a large and very fine stock of coal would do well to visit Mr. McDonald's sheds.

— The following well-merited compliment to our townsman Mr. Fred H. Lewis, and to the Board of Trade, we clip from the columns of the Stoneham *News* of last week: Mr. Frederic H. Lewis of the Executive Committee of the Woburn Board of Trade was in town last Saturday and paid his respects to the *News*, which we were greatly pleased to have such a good-looking, active and enterprising neighbor do. The impression we gained from a pleasant chat was that we should like to swap some of the dead timber that move and have their being in our midst for a few wide-awake chaps like him. Mr. Lewis went among our manufacturers to find out if they knew of any firms that were likely to start in the shoe business, or change locality, if they did Woburn would like to have first talk with them, and perhaps could offer superior inducements to any place this side of creation. This is the way they are building Woburn up to be a great city. And we do admire them for it.

— The Argus-eyed Woburn reporter of a Boston paper gave a thrilling account of a notable prize fight that took place at Montvale at 4 o'clock one morning last week. Although he was a little clumsy in the use of technical ring language—sometimes mixing words and phrases to a degree that would naturally drive an old bruiser (if he could read) or any intelligent patron of "the manly art of self-defense," as crazy as a bed-bug—his report of the mill was as exciting and sanguinary as anything could well be. The rumor is current that nobody witnessed the fight but this reporter, but whether true or not, his account of it was excellent. We noticed too, with great pleasure and hearty approval, that the story closed with the expressive phrase invariably employed by this reporter, whether the occasion be a wedding, a church picnic, a concert, funeral or prize fight, namely: "the affair did credit to all concerned." It is a very pretty sentence, and can't be used too often, especially in describing a dog or prize fight.

— The supper of the Ladies' Charitable Society connected with the First Congregational church, given last week Thursday evening, was a novel affair, inasmuch as all the manufactured matters and things of which it was composed were the product of masculine heads and hands. There was a great variety and generous abundance of food, which was appreciated with a keen relish by a very large company of ladies and gentlemen at the moderate price of 25 cents. An enumeration of the substantials and delicacies that tickled the palates and appeased the hunger of the company would take up more room than we can handily spare this week, and so our readers must be content with our word for it, that the materials from which the supper was wrought out; their culinary manipulation by gentlemen; and the serving of the same to experienced dames and maiden tyros in domestic arts, proved that some people besides women know something of the science of cookery. The juicy meats, escalloped bivalves, rich salads, "light" biscuits, delicate cakes with feathery frostings, noble strawberry short-cakes, luscious pies with flaky crusts, the toothsome jellies, great fat puddings, appetizing pickles, and pungent cheese, etc.,—all cooked, "made," got up and served by men and boys, with not a trace of woman in them—these proved beyond question the truth of the assertion above made. It was a delicious repast, and all honor and praise to the gentlemen cooks for it. A fine musical and literary entertainment was also given, and the whole was a great hit and notable success.

— The celebration of the 88th anniversary of the birthday of Mrs. Daniel T. Angier was the occasion of a very enjoyable social gathering at the pleasant residence of Mr. and Mrs. David W. Johnson on Salem street, this village, last Tuesday evening. Mrs. Angier is a sister of the mother of His Excellency Governor Robinson and has large family connection in this part of the State, many of whom visited her at the home of her children, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, with whom the venerable lady now lives, on her celebration day. Gov. Robinson was attending an anniversary of the town of Falmouth and was therefore unavoidably absent. His mother, however, was present and very highly enjoyed the occasion, as were also Hon. Charles Robinson, the Governor's brother, ex-Mayor of Charlestown; Mr. W. Angier of St. Johnsbury, Vt., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frazier of Clinton, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Angier of Somerville, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Angier of the same city, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Barr of Lawrence, Miss Mary Angier of Concord, and others. About thirty people sat down to a fine supper provided by Mr. and Mrs. Johnson for the happy occasion, and after it a delightful evening was spent by the party in a social way. The affair was highly enjoyed by all present, and by none more heartily than Mrs. Angier, to celebrate the anniversary of whose birthday so many of her relatives had assembled. Although closely bordering on to 90 she is well preserved, retains her faculties, enjoys life, and bids fair to repeat the very pleasant occasion of Tuesday evening many times. Her numerous relatives and friends, with the JOURNAL among them, wishes Mrs. Angier many more years of pleasant life. We would not omit to mention the splendid birthday cake, made and presented by Mary Angier of Concord, a landscape painter of note. It was frosted in two colors, and inscribed: "June 15, 1798-1886."

North Woburn.

We expect the new horse-cars to be put on in a few days, and be glad when the open ones make their appearance.

Mr. George W. Kimball of the Centre has the contract to build the carhouse of the No. Woburn Street Railway Company here. It is to be 44x156 feet, capable of holding 8 cars, with a station for passengers. The Company are buying new horses for the service.

Last Monday Congressman Hayden introduced a bill to pension our esteemed citizen Mr. S. E. Wyman, and every body hopes it will pass. Mr. Wyman is as much entitled to a pension as any soldier in the war, for at the Goldsboro' fight he contracted rheumatic complants which have disabled him ever since. Col. W. T. Grammer, in whose Regiment Mr. Wyman served, has always been of the opinion that he deserves a pension and that Congress ought to grant him one.

Kearney says the Chinese must go; but, before they go, we wish to inform them and everybody else that Adamson's Botanic Balsam continues to win the day in curing coughs, colds, and all difficult breathing. Price 10, 35 and 75 cents.

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About Cleveland's Visit to Woburn.

Woburn has invited President Cleveland to call around and look at his ancester's burial place, and partake of their hospitality this summer.—*Stoneham News.*

Colonel Lamont now denies that the President is coming this summer either to the White Mountains or to Massachusetts. Perhaps Lamont will come, any way.—*Boston Record.*

The citizens of Woburn think they have a lien on President Cleveland because he has an ancestor buried in their cemetery there, so they propose to invite him and his wife to visit the grave when on their eastern tour. Probably President Cleveland will weep when he looks upon the grave of his ancestor as did Mark Twain when he looked upon the tomb of Adam, *his* ancestor. —*Reading Chronicle.*

In conformity with a vote of the town the Board of Selectmen, by their executive officer and clerk, Thomas H. Hill, Esq., have sent to President Cleveland a very cordial invitation to visit Woburn, should he, as now contemplated, visit New England this season. The letter hoped it might be agreeable to him to accept the invitation of the authorities of the town of which his ancestors were early and esteemed settlers, and when in Boston come and see where they lived and were buried.

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MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

UNITARIAN.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: "The Sins of the Tongue."

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m.; service in church, conducted by the Sunday School. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7.45 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6. p. m.; service of Praise and Preaching at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

The Scandinavian Evangelical Society, Y. M. C. Rooms. Sunday, preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 m. Praise meeting at 6.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Bible Reading, Friday at 7.30 p. m. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise meeting at 4 o'clock. Boys' meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30. Scandinavian services Sunday at 10.30, Wednesday evening at 7.30. Reading Room open daily from 6.30 to 9.30 p. m., Wednesday excepted. Boys' Branch at 7.45 p. m., on Tuesdays. Sunday 9 a. m. Prayer meeting.

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In Woburn, June 15, by Rev. H. A. Westall, Mr. E. Sargent Briggs of Winchester and Miss Annie Ellis of Woburn.

In Woburn, June 15th, by Rev. Daniel March, Walter B. Randall and Annie L. Kendall, both of Woburn.

In Woburn, June 16, by Rev. Quealy, Maurice Castine and Elizabeth White, both of Woburn.

In Wilmington, June 16th, by Rev. Elijah Harmon, Frank C. Nichols of Woburn and Sarah E. Carter of Wilmington.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, June 9, Louisa Deland, aged 77 years, 3 month, 19 days.

In Woburn, June 11, James Nelson, aged 67 years.

In Woburn, June 15, John Kerrigan, aged 23 years, 3 months.

In Wilmington, June 15, Hannah M. Bailey, aged 85 years.



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WINCHESTER.

Postmaster-elect Garcelon has gone fishing.

Several Royal Arch Masons went to Medford last week on a visit to Mt. Hermon Chapter.

George Tarbox has been awarded the carpenter work on the High School repairs for $3,500, and Timothy Sullivan has the brick work at $365.

The Furniture Company are turning out a great deal of good work. They have recently closed a contract to furnish nineteen schools at Brooklyn, N. Y.

Superintendent of Schools Parkhurst will remain here, having declined an invitation to go to Fitchburg. He is one of the best educationists in the State.

The versatile reporter of the Woburn *Advertiser* fills that excellent family journal, $1.50 per an., invariably in advance, pretty full of educational matter this week.

The windmill at the reservoir failed to work last week the reservoir became empty. Saturday, engine 3 of the fire department filled the reservoir after fifteen hours continuous pumping.

According to the new Senatorial division of the State, if the committee's report is adopted by the Legislature, Arlington, Medford, Somerville and Winchester will make up the First Middlesex Senatorial District.

The Boston *Courier*, the acknowledged leader of society journalism, says: "The engagement of Miss Bessie G. Hall of Dale street [Boston] to Mr. R. W. Folsom of Winchester is announced." Long life and a merry one to fair bride and gallant groom.

A good deal of building is going on here, and still houses are scarce. Mr. S. W. Twombly, the well-known florist, contemplates putting up some fine residences on his land on Cambridge street, which is the most desirable property for the purpose in Winchester. The foundations of other dwellings are built, and everything looks prosperous.

The hearing by the Selectmen, last Saturday, on the petition of the No. Woburn Street Railway Company for permit to extend their line to Winchester was largely attended by interested parties. Chairman Ayer read the petition, explained the object of the Company, and notified the parties that they could proceed. Mr. Amos F. Breed, President of the Company, made a clear and succinct statement of the purposes of the Company; described the character of the proposed road; alluded to the advantages and popularity of street railways, and made a very favorable impression on the Board. The petition was warmly supported by Mr. Sumner Richardson, a prominent citizen; Mr. Symmes, Superintendent of the Mystic Water Works; James A. Woodbury, a retired capitalist; Freeman A. Loring, of the firm of Loring & Avery, who is a director in the Company; Mr. Benjamin Hinckley, of Woburn, also a Director; Mr. Winde, a business man of Boston; Mr. Farley, Attorney for the Company, and others, all of whom made strong and convincing arguments in support of the great local improvement. The petition was opposed by a remonstrance in charge of Mr. Johnson, a clerk in the employ of the B. & L. R. R. Co.; Esquire Elder, who didn't want the streets cut up with tracks, etc. When he said, "people come here because it is a country town; they want to get away from the noise of horse-cars," some thought it was not very complimentary to our village. It seems that the business men of the town; the common kind of people; and the working-folk, all want the road; but those who live in Boston from one year's end to another, except nights and Sundays, are opposed to it. The building of this Street Railway would add largely to the business of all our stores and shops, and greatly enhance the value of real estate, and it looks like selfishness on the part of the very nice people who have no real interest in the town, to oppose it. The Board, after hearing all the testimony, took the matter under advisement.

As near as I can find out there is quite a change in public opinion respecting the No. Woburn Street Railway coming here. The change is among those who opposed its coming, for a large majority of the voters of the town have always been in favor of it, and many of the largest tax-payers too. The fact is, the most active and persistent opposition to the road came from persons who pay only a polltax in town, but are, nevertheless, very nice people indeed. Men begin to get their eyes open and see that building the road through the town would enhance the value of real estate largely and at once, as street railways have in Cambridge, Chelsea, Lynn, Swampscott, Peabody, Salem, and elsewhere, and besides that, the people want it, and mark me, Mr. JOURNAL, they will have it.

At a meeting of the School Board held last Friday evening the appointment of teachers for the coming year was made, to wit:

High School, Lewis Parkhust, Principal; First Assistant, Helen H. Spaulding, Second Maria A. Persons.

Central Grammar—Principal, Charles E. Swett; first assistant, C. Isabelle Livingston; second assistant, Josephine S. Hinckley: third assistant, Eliza E. Marston.

Wyman Grammar—Mary A Emerson; Wyman Intermediate, Abbie F. Johnson; Wyman First Primary, Nettie Coffin.

Chapin School—First Intermediate, Wilhelma F. Smith; Second Intermediate, Caroline B. Symmes; First Primary, Annie T. Holland.

Hillside School—Intermediate, Kate A. White; Primary, Annie J. Richardson.

Rumford School—Intermediate, Rebecca A. Holbrook; Primary, Ida M. Richardson.

Gifford School—Intermediate, Mary S. Spurr; Primary, vacant.

Washington School, Mixed, Elizabeth C. Richardson.

Mystic School—Mixed, Mary M. Holden.

BURLINGTON.

The schools were closed Thursday.

The strawberry raisers are busy, this week. There is a prospect of a good crop.

Rev. Cyrus Hamlin, D. D., of Lexington preached at the church, Sunday morning.

Mr. John Winn is making many improvements at the Shaw farm. The house has been repaired and put in good order for tenants.

Children's Sunday was not celebrated at the church, on account of the severe illness of two children of Rev. Charles Anderson. Both children are now improving.

Children's Day

Some years ago the Methodist Episcopal General Conference designated and appointed the second Sunday in June to be observed annually by all the churches of that denomination as Children's Day with appropriate services and ceremonies. In pursuance to that order every Methodist church, not only in America and Europe but the world over, celebrated last Sunday as Children's Day with exercises especially adapted to interest, please and instruct the young people and Sabbath Schools. The custom is a pleasing and beneficial one, and has come to be looked forward to by the children with eagerness and delight. The M. E. Church and Sunday School in this village celebrated the day in an appropriate manner. In the morning the pastor, Rev. Mr. Wright, preached an excellent sermon to the young to which good attention was paid. The church made an attractive appearance with its bouquets, garlands, wreathes and knots of rare, fresh flowers, plants and summer greens, while the music, specially selected, with Mr. Henry Johnson as organist, was very fine. At half-past six o'clock in the evening a Sunday School concert was given under the direction of Mr. Hubbard Copeland, the Superintendent, which was attended by a large audience and very much enjoyed. About fifty small pupils of the school participated in the exercises, which consisted of recitations, declamations, dialogues, singing, etc. They acquitted themselves handsomely in all the parts, and the exercises were highly interesting and pleasing. The vocal music was furnished by the choir and little ones and the organ was played by Mr. Johnson. Addresses were made by the pastor and Superintendent Copeland, and altogether it was one of the best concerts ever given by the school.

Children's Day was duly observed at the Congregational church. Rev. John S. Chandler, a missionary in India, preached in the morning. The altar and surroundings were beautifully decorated with flowers and plants. In the evening the 68th anniversary of the Sunday School was celebrated, when the following order of exercises was carried out: Voluntary, Processional, Recitation, 23d Psalm by the School, Scripture reading and prayer, singing, Superintendent's report, singing by a large chorus, responsive exercises; singing. Addresses by Rev. John S. Chandler, Solo by Mrs. W. O. Bacon, Addresses by Dr. March, singing by the congregation, Benediction. Mr. John C. Buck played the organ, and the singing by a selected choir of young ladies and the regular choir was excellent. Mrs. Bacon's solo was very fine indeed. It is always a pleasure to listen to her. Rev. Mr. Chandler's address was illustrated by representations of customs, life, habits, music, etc. of the natives of India, and was very interesting. The anniversary was a good one.

The Baptist church postponed their Children's Day exercises until next Sunday on account of the rain.

Extensive Advertising Contract.

The Boston Journal says: Messrs. Lewis, Brown & Co., of this city have just placed an extensive advertising contract for the "Three-Legged Brand" of knitting yarns with S. C. Gosse, the Kilby Street advertising agent.

BALL'S



CORSETS

DRY GOODS HOUSE OF A. CUMMINGS.

Ladies desiring Health and real Comfort will buy these CORSETS. Sold on three weeks trial.

We have three SURPRISING BARGAINS IN TOWELS.

A Special Bargain in White Quilts.

The Street Railway Hearing.

Last Saturday afternoon the Woburn Board of Selectmen gave a public hearing on the petition of the North Woburn Street Railway Company, which was attended by officers and directors of the Company and several citizens of the town. Chairman Reade presided. Clerk Hill read the petition, which was for permission to lay tracks from No. Woburn to the Winchester line and also through Pleasant and other streets to Cummingsville. In the absence of President Breed, who was in attendance on the hearing before the Selectmen of Winchester on petition for permit to extend the road into that town, Frank J. Monks, Esq., Secretary and Treasurer of the corporation, made a statement of its wishes and purposes, and to questions put by members of the Board expressed a willingness to conform strictly to any conditions the town might see fit to impose that were reasonable and just. There was no opposition to granting the prayer of the petitioners but several points of interest were discussed in a friendly way by the Board, Mr. Monks, Mr. Porter and Mr. G. F. Jones, both Directors, and others. The location of the rails, the kind of rail to be used, the matter of paving the tracks, etc., were all talked over and a mutual understanding arrived between the parties on all the questions raised. Subsequently on the same afternoon it was unanimously voted by the Board that leave be granted to the N. W. S. R. Company to lay tracks on the streets named in the Company's petition, in the centre of said streets, under the direction of the Committee on Highways.

This action was anticipated by the people who are without exceptions, in favor of granting the Company the rights asked for. It is seen and understood by every one that the N. W. St. R'y, under the changed condition of its affairs, will prove a great benefit to the town. Mr. Monks assured the Board that the road is to be put into first class condition at once; that new open and box cars, the latter to be properly heated, are to be placed on the route this month; that good horses were being purchased; and that the road should equal in every respect any in Boston or its suburbs, and be a credit to Woburn. All this is to be carried out in letter and spirit. From the enterprise Winchester, as well as Woburn, will derive substantial advantage and much the largest share of her business people and other population are strongly in favor of it. The length of the line for the present will approximate five miles, with contemplated extensions at no distant day. Running from the pleasant village of No. Woburn, through the Centre, to the beautiful town of Winchester, over a route flanked with an almost continuous line of fine residences and business houses, with foregrounds of lawns and gardens, backed by hills and delightful scenery, the road cannot but be liberally patronized by local residents, and soon become a favorite with people and parties seeking pleasure in easy, comfortable, and delightful rides over the road.

Board of Selectmen.

The regular mid-monthly meeting of the Board of Selectmen was held at their rooms last Tuesday evening and was attended by all the members. Chairman Reade presided. It was a spirited meeting, the matter of licenses being productive of a good deal of warm discussion.——The Military Committee were instructed to cause the bells to be rung and a salute fired on the morning of July 4, next.——A communication from B. E Bond, Esq., Attorney for W. A. Conant, claiming damages for injury received on account of alleged defective highway, referred to Committee on Claims.——The bond of John G. Maguire, Esq. Town Collector, was accepted.——Frank H. Greene was appointed Railroad policeman.——A good many applications for liquor licenses were referred in due and proper form.——The returns of Co. G. were ordered filed.——E. Prior, F. M. Robinson, Mary Jennings and S. E. Wyman were granted leave to keep and sell fireworks on certain days.——Mr. Kenney, of Committee on Claims, reported advisable to pay damages as follows: James McLaughlin, $40; Mary Endicott, $20. Voted the same.——C. S. Gove & Co. of Boston, application for license, was voted leave to withdraw.——The petition of Murray on the East Side for license to sell rum near the Stoneham cemetery, which is strongly opposed by a great number of respectable people in Woburn and Stoneham, and by the authorities of the latter town, was referred back to the Police Committee.——In the cases of Carroll and McGovern it was recommended that they be censured. [Tolerable light punishment for violating the law.]——Voted that all licenses granted and not taken by June 22 be cancelled; and that no applications for licenses be received after July 6.——The Clerk was directed to confer with the managers of the B. & L. R. R. Co. respecting street crossings at Montvale.——Adjourned.

Japanese Letters.

Boston Globe: "A reader of the *Globe* named Talbot sent me a box of 'Hak-ka' for Hay Fever. I have had seven years of sneezing, coughing, swearing, and this August it began more virulent than ever. I used Talbot's 'Hak-ka' three times, and although the fever was at the high tide of successful demoralization, I haven't sneezed but twice since, and that was two days ago. I don't know Talbot, I never saw Talbot; but he ought to become a millionnaire in one season." HOWARD.

HAK-KA CREAM is equally effective for cure in Colds in the Head, Catarrh, etc. Hak-ka is pronounced *Hark-ka.*

A shoal of whales, eighty in number, was recently driven ashore on the Shetland Islands and captured.

C. L. S. C.

The First Woburn C. L. S. C. held the final meeting of the season, Tuesday evening, at Cambridgeport, with Mr. and Mrs. Fisk. Most of the time was spent socially, the only literary exercise of the evening being a paper by Dr. Dodge on the "Moral and Religious Suggestions of the Year's Reading." Could each member of the Circle have a copy of this paper, it would be a most valuable aid in fixing in the memory the best impressions of the year's study. After a bountiful collation and a vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Fisk for their kindly hospitality, the Circle adjourned to meet at Dr. Dodge's the last Tuesday in September.

Many, however, hope to meet meanwhile at Lake View, during the N. E. Assembly, the seventh annual session of which opens July 14, 1886. May we call the attention of the readers of the JOURNAL to the excellence of this year's programme by simply mentioning such teachers and lecturers as Dr. Vincent, Dr. Hurlburt, Rev. A. E. Dunning, Prof. Holmes, Prof. Sherwin, Frank Beard, Dr. E. C. Hale, Bishop Foster, Rev. Phillips Brooks, Hon. John D. Long, Wallace Bruce, George W. Cable, Mrs. Kennedy, and Mrs. Livermore, with such attractions as normal lessons, drawing lessons, C. L. S. C. round-tables and vesper services, class reunions, banquets, processions, camp-fires, and numereus concerts, employing the best vocal and instrumental talent.—X.

The Molded Counter Association.

We clip the following item of interest to our people from the columns of the *Shoe and Leather Reporter* of June 10. N. J. Simonds, Esq. is President of the Association, and Mr. L. B. Russell, both extensive manufacturers of shoe stock, is a member of the special committee on Union:

The Molded Counter Association, of Boston, held their monthly meeting and dinner at Young's Hotel, on Tuesday evening, June 1. There were thirteen members present. A most enjoyable occasion it proved. Around the table were seated nearly all the manufacturers of molded shoe counters and stiffenings, and, looking at their familiar faces, one would hardly imagine there was any business rivalry between them. The Counter Association was formed for the purpose of self-protection and to conserve the interests of manufacturers as well. A uniform low price is fixed, to which every member strictly adheres, and consumers are all treated alike. The monthly dinners are a social feature of the Association; they are entirely informal. The entertainment is interspersed with songs, instrumental music and story telling. Such gatherings tend to promote cheerfulness and good feeling.

"I have no appetite," complain many sufferers. Hood's Sarsaparilla gives an appetite and enables the stomach to perform its duty.

When all else is lost, the future remains.

HALE'S HONEY is the best Cough Cure, 25, 50c., $1.
GLENN'S SULPHUR SOAP heals and beautifies, 25c.
GERMAN CORN REMOVER kills Corns & Bunions, 25c.
HILL'S HAIR & WHISKER DYE—Black & Brown, 50c.
PIKE'S TOOTHACHE DROPS cure in 1 Minute, 25c.
DEAN'S RHEUMATIC PILLS are a sure cure, 50c.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed, given by John Doherty of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to John Bacon of said Woburn, dated September 25, A. D. 1871, and recorded with Middlesex (So. Dist.) Deeds, Book 1752, Page 1, and by said Bacon assigned to Bernard E. McDermott of said Woburn, by assignment dated May 21, 1886, and recorded with Middlesex (South District) Deeds, Book 1752, Page 3, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on Monday, the 5th day of July, 1886, at five o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, and therein described as follow, namely:—A certain lot of land containing five thousand six hundred and ninety-eight square feet, situated near the Centre village of and in said Woburn, being lot numbered thirty-seven on a plan of streets and house-lots on land of John Bacon and William A. Colegate, near Rag Rock, in said Woburn, made by Cyrus Thompson, May 15, 1857, and recorded in the Middlesex (South District) Registry of Deeds, and which lot is bounded by streets and lots mentioned on said Plan, as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises, at a stake at lot number thirty-six and on Flagg street, the line runs northerly, five feet, to a stake; thence nearly northerly, on and by said Flagg street, one hundred and sixty feet, to a stake at the corner of said Flagg street and Grove street; thence nearly southerly, by said Grove street, one hundred and twenty-eight feet, to a stake at lot number thirty-six; thence nearly westerly, by said lot number thirty-six, seventy-nine feet to the point of beginning.

$100 will be required of the purchaser at the time and place of sale; other terms at sale.

BERNARD E. McDERMOTT, Assignee and present holder of said Mortgage.

J. W. JOHNSON, Attorney.
Woburn, June 17, 1886.

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For Headache, Biliousness, Liver Complaints, Indigestion. Mild but effective. FOR SALE BY DRUGGISTS.

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ANTIDOTE, for adults, in wineglassful doses, aids digestion. Taken before meals, it relieves faintness and wearied feeling of body and mind to which many are subject. Druggists have it.

WARREN G. FOLEY,

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No. 6 Winter St., Boston.

Samples seen and Club Tickets obtained at Geo. A. Loring & Co., corner of Main and Union streets, Chas. H. Buss, 170 Main street, F. B. Leeds's Drug Store, and F. M. Robinson, 156 Main street.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

Should be kept constantly at hand, for use in emergencies of the household. Many a mother, startled in the night by the ominous sounds of Croup, finds the little sufferer, with red and swollen face, gasping for air. In such cases Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is invaluable. Mrs. Emma Gedney, 159 West 128 st., New York, writes: "While in the country, last winter, my little boy, three years old, was taken ill with Croup; it seemed as if he would die from strangulation. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral was tried in small and frequent doses, and, in less than half an hour, the little patient was breathing easily. The doctor said that the Pectoral saved my darling's life." Mrs. Chas. B. Landon, Guilford, Conn., writes: "Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

Saved My Life,

and also the life of my little son. As he is troubled with Croup, I dare not be without this remedy in the house." Mrs. J. Gregg, Lowell, Mass., writes: "My children have repeatedly taken Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for Coughs and Croup. It gives immediate relief, followed by cure." Mrs. Mary E. Evans, Scranton, Pa., writes: "I have two little boys, both of whom have been, from infancy, subject to violent attacks of Croup. About six months ago we began using Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and it acts like a charm. In a few minutes after the child takes it, he breathes easily and rests well. Every mother ought to know what a blessing I have found in Ayer's Cherry Pectoral." Mrs. Wm. C. Reid, Freehold, N. J., writes: "In our family, Ayer's medicines have been blessings for many years. In cases of Colds and Coughs, we take

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TOWN OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.
Woburn, June 16, 1886.

Notice is herby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that PETER MURRAY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first class, at Crehan building, so-called, on southerly side of Union street in said Woburn, in two rooms in first floor of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded northerly by said Union street; easterly by land of Joseph H. Parker; southerly by land of Oliver Parker heirs, and westerly by other land of heirs of Patrick Crehan.

THOMAS H. HILL, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE.

WHEREAS, the Directors of the North Woburn Street Railroad Company have duly offered to the stockholders of said Company of record May 10, 1886, the right to subscribe for new stock in said company, during the thirty days next following said date; and

WHEREAS, the said thirty days expired on Wednesday, June 9, 1886; and

WHEREAS, at that time the holders of record on said May 10, of twenty-seven shares of said stock had not subscribed for said new shares:

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, in accordance with the Public Statutes of the State of Massachusetts, that I will sell at public auction, at the office of Gilman F. Jones, on Main street, in Woburn, on **Saturday, June 26, 1886, at 3 o'clock, P. M.,** to the highest bidder above par ($100 per share), the said twenty-seven shares of new stock, by order of the Directors of said company.

WM. WINN & CO., - - Auctioneers.
Woburn, June 10, 1886.

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Bonnets and Lace Caps made to order.

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IN THE VERY LATEST MODES.

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Mrs. G. M. CHEEVER,

No. 2 Montvale Avenue.

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You can buy a pair of Men's Calf Shoes, Button, Lace or Congress, for

$2.50, SOLD EVERYWHERE FOR $3.

A full line of Gent's Boats and Shoes at bottom prices. Every pair warranted.

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197 MAIN STREET,

2d door above P. O.

ENGLISH HAY FOR SALE.

The subscriber has a good article for sale.

WILLIAM H. WINN, Burlington.

Town of Woburn.

COLLECTOR'S SALE

—OF—

REAL ESTATE FOR NON-PAYMENT OF TAXES.

In conformity with the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the owners and occupants of the following described parcels of Real Estate, situated in the Town of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes on each of said parcels assessed for the year 1885, according to the list committed to me, as Collector of Taxes of said Woburn, by the Assessors of taxes of said Woburn, for said year, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered at public auction for sale by the Collector of said Woburn, at the office of the Collector, No. 172 Main street, Woburn, on THURSDAY, July 15, 1886, at 2 o'clock, P. M., for the payment of said taxes, together with interest from October 15, 1885, and the lawful cost and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

RESIDENTS.

PATRICK BISHOP HEIRS.—About 7-16 of an acre of land and buildings on Washington street, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by other land of said heirs, southerly by a private street, westerly by land now or late of one McKenna and easterly by said Washington street.
Tax of 1885 $8 40

EDWARD CLARK.—About 1500 square feet of land and buildings, situated on Centre street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by land of Rose Connolly, southerly by land formerly of the late George Flagg deceased, easterly by land of Patrick Donavan, westerly by said Centre street.
Tax of 1885 $9 24

JOB CURTIS.—About one acre of land and buildings situate on School street and bounded as follows viz:—Northerly by land of James McFeeley, northeasterly, easterly and southerly by land of Joseph M. Eaton and westerly by said School St.
Tax of 1885 $15 12

REUBEN GREEN.—About ¼ of an acre of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Pearl street, and bounded as follows, viz: Northerly by said Pearl street, easterly by land of Rhoda B. Greeley, southerly by land now of formerly of Bond and Tidd, and westerly by land of Elijah Rollins.
Tax of 1885, $16 80

LUCY A. JONES.—About one acres of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Main street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by Main street, northerly by land of C. H. Nichols, easterly by other land of said Jones, southerly partly by land of Town of Woburn, and partly by land of George Perry.
Tax of 1885, $23 52

Also, about one and one-half acres of land, situate on Main street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by land last above described, northerly partly by land of one Nichols, partly by land of one Tyler, partly by land one Flint, easterly and southerly by land of George Perry.
Tax of 1885, $2 52

ROBERT W. KING.—About 5,285 square feet of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Green street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Green street, easterly by land of George E. Swan, westerly by land now or formerly of Ella S. Kellen, and southerly by land now or formerly of one Fowle.
Tax of 1885, $42 35

PETER O'BRIEN.—About one-half acre of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Main street, bounded as follows, to wit: Northerly by land of Catherine Meehan, easterly by said Main street, southerly and westerly by land formerly J. B. Winn.
Tax of 1885, $5 88

GEORGE PERRY.—About 15 acres of land situate on Main street and bounded as follows, viz:—northerly, partly by land of town of Woburn, partly by land of Lucy A. Jones and partly by land of owners unknown, easterly by the old Middlesex Canal, southerly by land of F. C. P. Wheeler and westerly by Main street.
Tax of 1885 $36 12

Also about 3¼ acres of meadow and tillage land near Nichols street, bounded as follows, to wit:—northerly by land of heirs of Oliver Fisher, southerly by land of Jonathan Thompson, easterly by land of J. O. Cummings and westerly by land of heirs of Albert Thompson.
Tax of 1885 $18 48

RUFUS POOLE.—About ½ acre of land and buildings thereon situate on Traverse St., and bounded as follows, to wit: northerly and easterly by land of heirs of Albert Thompson, westerly by land of Jonathan Thompson, and southerly by said Traverse street.
Tax of 1885 $13 94

JOHN SMITH.—About 5 acres of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Montvale Avenue and bounded as follows, viz: southerly by land of S. B. Holden, easterly by land of Sherman Converse, northerly partly by land of one Cookley partly by land of heirs of J. B. Converse and partly by land of Rufus Smith and westerly by land of Timothy Mahoney and said Montvale Avenue.
Tax of 1885 $25 56

Also, about 1-16 of an acre of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Centre street, and bounded as follow, viz:—Northerly by land of John Begley, southerly by land of John Connolly, easterly by land of Patrick Smith, and westerly by Centre street.
Tax of 1885, $28 56

NON-RESIDENTS.

ANNIE E. MCCAFFREY.—About 4¼ acres of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Pine street, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by said Pine street, northerly by land of Thomas Day, westerly by land of George W. Allen, and southerly by land of Ward L. Dennis, et als.
Tax of 1885, $10 08

JOHN G. MAGUIRE,
Collector of Taxes.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Samuel C. Skelton, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Samuel Skelton, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, the executrix named in said will having declined said trust, and that he may be exempt from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of June instant, at nine o'clock, in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

24-3 S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the estate of Mary Armstrong, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, John H. Devlin, Executor of the will of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for licence to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

26-3 S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

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—AND—

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Of the best manufacture at lowest prices for cash or on instalments.

Woburn Bargain Store,

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The Chicago Women's Club.

Chicago is above all others the city of women's clubs,—Emerson, Martineau, Crowning Clubs; clubs for the study of French, German, and English literature; clubs large and clubs small; clubs weekly and monthly and fortnightly. One of the oldest, largest, and most influential of these clubs is the Chicago Woman's Club, which has just entered on its tenth year with a membership of one hundred and ninety-six, and an average attendance of about a hundred. Some features of this club seem worthy of special notice.

The Chicago Women's Club distributes its work among six committees, to some one of which each member must belong. These committees bear the names respectively of "Home," "Reform," "Philanthropy," "Education," "Art and Literature," and "Philosophy and Science" committees. The club is fortnightly in its meetings, and each meeting is under the charge of one of the six committees, which selects the theme for the essay, appoints the essayist, and has charge of the discussion which follows. Some of the subjects written upon and discussed during the past year have been as follows:

By the Home Committee: "The Effect upon the Home of the Enfranchisement of Women," and "Are Women Responsible for the Tone of Public Sentiment?"

By the Committee on Education; "The Ethical Culture Movement," and "The Value of Superstition as a Therapeutic Agent."

By the Reform Committee: "Some Reform Ideas in Connection with the Higher Education of Women."

By the Committee on Philanthropy: "Women and Money," "Problems of the Street," and "How can we Free Society from the Criminal Classes?"

Nor do the different committees feel that their work is done when they have presented to the club wise theories and descussed them ably. Just here is the characteristic feature. The Committee on Education puts its theories to practical test by undertaking to have the truancy laws, which had become a dead letter in the city, enforced. The Art and Literature Committee maintains study-classes in different lines of work. The Home Committee is just now taking steps which look to the establishment of a training-school for servants, and a registration and graded table of wages for the same; while the Reform and Philanthropy Committees have won an enviable place before the public by the efficient way in which they have taken hold of some needed reforms. For instance, it was ascertained that seven hundred girls and women were sent monthly, by day and by night, to the jails and police stations of the city, in charge wholly of men, the employees often of political cliques and rings, and wholly unfit for such charge. In these jails and police stations the moral, as well as physical conditions were found to be often the very worst. The committee set themselves the task of remedying these evils. Of course they were opposed and thwarted, wherever possible, by the ring politicians, who did not wish their rule interfered with, especially by women. But they have succeeded in putting a day and a night matron into each of the jails where women are confined, and into four police stations, with a city enactment that all women and girl culprits shall be sent to these.

Then they learned that the moral and physical conditions at the County Insane Asylum were not at all superior to those of the jails and police-stations, but were such as ought to bring disgrace upon those having it in charge. While the public appropriations for its support were ample for the necessities and comforts of the inmates, one-half of them were afflicted with scurvy from insufficient and unwholesome food-supplies; and the provision made for attendance, medical and otherwise, upon the women patients was simply abominable. The Committees began an agitation for reform—of course in the face of bitter opposition on the part of those in power. They agitated the subject through the public press; they petitioned county officials; and finally they carried their protests and petitions to the State authority by memorializing the Governor, and succeeded in getting an investigating committee appointed by him. Then for weeks they attended daily upon the work of this investigating committee to see that no dark corners were covered up, no unwarranted practices whitewashed. Thus they succeeded in establishing every one of their charges against the management, and in bringing about radical reforms in food and in various other physical necessities and comforts, obtained the appointments of trained nurses, and lastly, the appointment of a woman physician to have charge of the women patients.

Is not here a precedent which every woman's club in the country might well copy? What a reformatory and uplifting power the thousands of women's clubs scattered all over the country would become, with such a practical beneficence side added! Then would self-culture cease to be mere selfish culture. Especially might not our church clubs and study classes wisely follow the example of the Chicago Women's Club in turning their organizations partly into beneficent and reformatory activities, and not limiting them to the intellectual and social sides of individual and church life?

A fair and buxom widow who had buried three husbands recently went with a gentleman who in his younger years had paid her marked attention to inspect the graves of her dear departed. After contemplating them in mournful silence, she murmured to her companion: "Ah, James, you might have been in that row now if you only had a little more courage."

Young wife—Mr. Poisson, I wish some nice smelts for dinner today. Mr. Poisson—Yes, Madam; how many? Young wife—One will be plenty, for only last week I ordered two salmon and there was a great deal too much.

Wanted one for keeps.—He: And now, Sarah, what kind of an engagement ring shall I get you? She: Solid gold, I guess. Henry; I'm so tired of wearing imitation gold for engagements.

Literary Notes.

JUNE, 1886.

Appleton Morgan, the Shakespearian scholar, has a notable article in the July WIDE AWAKE, entitled A Sixteenth Century Boy.

Margaret Sidney contributes to the July WIDE AWAKE a richly illustrated Ballad of The Shot heard round the World, entitled The Minute Man, in connection with which a photogravure of French's statue of the Minute Man at Concord is given free to all subscribers and purchasers of that number.

The July WIDE AWAKE is enriched with a group of delightful Independence Day articles. Mrs. Demeritt contributes, under the title of The first blow for American Liberty, an account of the attack upon Fort William and Mary, with a view to the capture of ammunition, resulting in the supply of powder soon after used at Bunker Hill; E. S. Brooks, in his story When George the Third was King, shows that originally we had no less than four Independence Days instead of one; and Margaret Sidney's ballad of The Minute Man paints a picture of still another of the beginnings of American Liberty.

A new book by Pansy, entitled, Spun from Fact, will soon be published by D. Lothrop & Co.

Rev. Horatio Nelson Powers, an intimate friend of Bayard Taylor and himself a poet of rare gifts, contributes an original poem to the June volume of Through the Year with the Poets, entitled, The Tulip-tree in Blossom.

Two members of the Harvard class of the present year are represented in the June number of Through the Year with the Poets by original contributions: Mr. Charles Miner Thompson and Mr. Alanson Bigelow Houghton. The latter, who is deeply interested in the social and reformatory problems of the day, expects to sail for Europe in July in order to devote himself more closely to the examination of his chosen subjects, and the former will probably remain in Boston and engage in literary and journalistic work.

D. Lothrop & Co. have in preparation for early publication an illustrated volume by Mrs. Mary Bradford Crowninshield, the wife of Commander Crowninshield, entitled Among the Lighthouses, detailing the experiences of an Inspector with two lively boys among the lighthouses on the Maine coast.

LITERARY NOTICES.

PETERSON'S MAGAZINE for July is brimful of beautiful things. The Rival Belles, representing three lovely women, is a steel engraving in the highest style of art. It is followed by a double-sized colored steel fashion-plate; by an exquisite colored pattern, a-la-Japanese, for a portfolio-cover; and by some fifty wood-engravings of fashions, embroidery, etc. The high character of PETERSON for giving the best original stories is more than maintained in this number. The Corsair's Captives will make everyone impatient for the next chapters. Mrs. Lucy H. Hooper has a weird story, Frank Lee Benedict a charming tale. A Story of Two Kisses is even better than its title foreshadows. Millionaire's Daughter increases in interest and force. Every lady ought to take PETERSON. It is perfect, as a lady's-book. The terms are but Two Dollars a year with great deductions to clubs, viz: a club of three for $5.25, with an extra copy for a year for getting up the club. Other clubs are still more enticing, with more costly premiums. Specimens are sent gratis. Address CHARLES J. PETERSON, 306 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa.

The numbers of THE LIVING AGE for June 5th and 12th contain Memoirs of Queen Mary II, Travels in the British Empire, The Nadir of Liberalism, by Matthew Arnold, Mr. Gladstone's Policy, A Reverie on the Riviera, Moses from a Rolling Stone, A Pilgrimage to Sinai, Sir Thomas Browne, and Longfellow, A Visit to the Leper Hospital of Bergen, with instalments of This Man's Wife, Yit and Xoe, Claudia and The Examiner's Dream, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4.00 monthlies or weeklies with THE LIVING AGE for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

Music Notes.

What music to take to the sea-shore or mountains, is a question which Oliver Ditson & Co. answer by the announcement of the following attractive publications: Avonia Bonney's capital setting to Robert Burns' characteristic ballad, Bonny Wee Thing; Forman Smith's Dance of the Nymphs, a sparkling composition for the piano or organ; each thirty-five cents. Wheeler's brilliant Waltzes, Happy Winter Nights, forty cents, and Lillian F. Maxwell's meritorious grand march, Guiding Star, thirty cents. Beside these, are Folk Song, Romance, Lullaby, Hunting Song, Little Snowdrop's Funeral and Bright Morning: captivating, short and not difficult piano-pieces at twenty-five cents each, by the eminent composer, Carl Weber.

No songs are more popular with old and young, with sisters, cousins, and sweet-hearts, as well as College students, than those contained in Ditson's famous College Song Books. The latest of these, and by far the largest and most attractive collection ever published at fifty cents, is their remarkably popular book entitled College Songs. It has appeared in a revised edition, just in time to contribute its "jolly jingle and go" to the pleasure of vacation time.

Sorrow is not an accident, occurring now and then—it is the very woof which is woven into the warp of life, and he who has not discerned the divine sacredness of sorrow, and the profound meaning which is concealed in pain, has yet to learn what life is. The cross, manifested as the necessity of the highest life, alone interprets it.

There is no American boy however poor, however humble, orphan though he may be, who, if he has a clear head, a true heart, a stout arm, may not rise through all the grades of society, and become the crown, the glory, the pillar of the State.

PLEASURES OF THE ARISTOCRACY.

"Let's Go Out and Kill Something"—Devotion to Sport Not Elevating.

One-third of the soil of England is devoted to the pleasures of the aristocracy, the principal of which is sport. The story is old of the foreigner who staid at a country house where every morning the men of the party exclaimed: "Tis a fine day! Let's go out and kill something." The picture is not exaggerated. Many Englishmen of fortune seem to suppose they are sent into this world to hunt foxes and shoot grouse and deer. This is the purpose of their existence and the occupation of their lives. Among the aristocracy the man who does not shoot is an anomaly, almost a monstrosity. There must be something wrong about him.

All the engagements of the upper classes, political or social, in town or country, are made with reference to sport. The fashionable season and the parliamentary season are determined by the game laws. Country house parties in winter, and tours to the continent in summer depend upon what is called "close times." Courtships are carried on, marriages postponed to suit the convenience of sportsmen. Great political revolutions are precipitated or deferred, questions of peace or war are taken up or let alone because ministers want to go to Scotland, because grouse shooting begins in August, and fox hunting is not over till February. The gravest crisis in the history of a government is neglected when legislators are anxious to be off to the moors, and the sessions of parliament can not be held till the frost is out of the ground and the foxes begin to breed.

Estates are purchased and houses built because of the proximity of the covers; properties are valuable for the same reason. Scores of fortunes are lost through the excessive love of sport. Every circumstance and event of English high life revolves around this point, and the results are as visible as those of religion. Sport enters into politics, it colors literature, it controls society. It affects dress, manners, etiquette and entertainments, the relations of master and servant, man and wife, father and son—the characteristics of whole classes in the state. It is one of the principal causes and results of aristocracy to-day.

More often, however, society is combined with sport. At a great house the party is usually large. The men sally out each morning "to kill something," and sometimes the ladies accompany them. Of late years a few of these are shooters themselves. This is, of course, when the game is driven to the guns; at such times the bags made are enormous, hundreds of birds often falling to a single sportsman. The labor is less, and the glory; but the boasting is prodigious.

The devotion to sport that characterizes the English aristocracy is not elevating. It not only makes them indifferent to more serious occupations, taking the hereditary legislators from the affairs of state to which they are supposed to apply themselves, and often distracting them from their own more important interests, but the incessant practice is brutalizing. To be forever planning and inflicting death and pain even on animals can not be refining. The English nature is coarse in itself, but sport renders it still more so.

Like everything else in England this pleasure is a matter of privilege. Game is strictly preserved for the great. The unprivileged may not carry a gun. Every Englishman loves sport, the peasant as well as the peer, but poaching is a criminal offense, and the poor man is sent for two months, six months, or even a year, to jail for doing what gives the rich man his keenest satisfaction. Five thousand committals for poaching are made every year in England alone.—Adam Badeau's Letter.

But Few Entirely Sane People.

I have observed a good many peculiar forms of insanity and can say frankly that there are very few entirely sane people in this world. Of course modern science has classified and found names for a number of specific mental disturbances that the older practitioners were inclined to include under single heads, but there are also, without a doubt, an increase in this form of disease. There are plenty of crazy people whose peculiar form of mania happens never to be discovered, even by themselves, and pass through life as staid, steady, even-balanced citizens. I have been more than once shocked at the discovery that some old friends showed undoubtedly signs of insanity on certain topics. The great trouble in knowing who is sane and who is not, is in finding some perfect criterion of sanity. Everything is measured by standards you know, and when we think we have found that standard he is only too apt to exhibit some defect himself. It almost prompts one to exclaim with Puck: "What fools these mortals be!"—Dr. Charles K. Mills.

Effects of Increased Food Consumption.

One effect of growing food consumption is to make larger, well rounded bodies. The lank, typical American is somewhat losing his characteristic under a generous diet and perhaps decreasing physical activity. In place of a few pounds a year formerly eaten of such a fat forming substance as sugar, the average consumption of over a pound a week, and the probable consumption of 75 to 100 pounds a year, individually, by tens of thousands, is having its effect in filling out and rounding the parts of the body. Many people eat too much food, it is true, but nevertheless the dynamics of social evolution has a dependence on abundant food supply and consumption. —George K. Holmes in Good Housekeeping.

A Drink for the Chinese.

Chinese in Sonoma county, California, gather wild poppies and steep them in hot water, making a sleep-producing decoction, which they seem to enjoy drinking.—Chicago Times.

The Authorized, Unabridged Edition.

Everybody has heard of Oscar Wilde, but not everybody knows his full name. It is Oscar Fingall O'Flahertie Wills Wilde.—Chicago Journal.

Over a hundred live trout of good size were found in a hollow tree cut down in California. The tree stood near a waterfall and occasionally water dashed into it. It is supposed the fish were washed in from the waterfall.

Professor at Columbia—"We cannot taste in the dark. Nature intends us to see our food." Student—"How about a blind man's dinner?" Professor—"Nature has provided him with eye-teeth, sir."

A tarpon weighing 140 pounds and measuring six feet five inches in length, was caught with a hook and line by William H. Wood near Punta Rassa, Fla. This is believed to be the largest game fish ever caught.

A New York religious paper is discussing the question: "What shall a clergyman eat on Sunday morning?" Permit a layman to suggest "breakfast" as an answer.

How Clubs Are Started in Paris.

I said nothing, but I determined to get an authorization for a club myself if I could. I spoke about it to some of my friends—you must know that I was then a fabricant de bronzes, and got my decoration just after the war for having allowed them to convert a lot of my bronzes into a cannon for the defense of Paris—I spoke to my friends, and we formed a committee, and then I waited on the Prefet's secretary with a document setting forth that a few commercial gentlemen of the —— Arrondissement wished to open a club where they could meet after the business of the day, etc. "Yes, but are you sure you will have no cards!" said the secretary; "Monsieur le Prefet won't hear of gambling." "Oh, no, of course not," I said, "only a little piquet perhaps, or ecarte, nothing more."

Well after waiting a few months I got my authorization, and then that scoundrel Theodore, who cheated me out of 70,000f. later on, came in with capital as cashier; old Z. the usurer came in too, and we took that apartment on the boulevards—only 60,000f. rent. We sent out our invitations to the press and to the leading players and gave a grand dinner for the opening night. Well, sir, you may believe me if you like, but we made 12,000f. cagnotte in that one evening, and the first year I had 300,000f. for my share, and ought to have had more, only Theodore and Z. swindled me. But then, of course, I had to play; I had to keep the game going, and the luck was always against me. I had to sell out my share in the club.—Fortnightly Review.

How Pearls Are Sometimes Caught.

Some of the people in the Bahamas live upon fishing, especially for pearls. I watched them fishing for them. They go out in small boats to where the water is about twenty feet deep, where, by the use of the water glass, they can easily see any object at the bottom. This glass consists of four boards about fifteen inches long, nailed together, in the form of a frustrum of a hollow pyramid; the small end is closed with a piece of ordinary glass. By putting this end a few inches below the surface of the water and looking in the other, they can discern any object at considerable depths. As soon as they see a conch they dive down for it, and I never saw them fail to bring up one.

After having collected a number of shells they are taken to the shore and the conch is examined for its pearl. They can usually tell by feeling, but to make sure they cut them up, when, if the conch contains a pearl, it will drop out as soon as the flesh is opened. The pearl is simply a hard formation inside of the flesh of the conch, and has no apparent connection with it. It is rarely that one is found. Often hundreds of conchs are caught without finding a single pearl, while on the other hand, two or three may be found in a catch of half a dozen conchs. June is said to be the best month for them. The fishermen easily get from $5 to $100 apiece for their treasures—according to their quality, the beautiful pink ones bringing the highest prices.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

An Inborn Tendency to Headache.

Some individuals have an inborn tendency to headache. Sometimes a little extra exertion of mind or body seems to set it going; at other times no cause can be traced, other than the "tyranny of a bad organization." Such persons inherit a defective nervous system from their ancestry. They are descended from parents who have suffered from insanity, epilepsy, hysteria or from "sick headache," or who have exhausted their powers in excesses of various kinds, of which those relating to alcohol are most common. These martyrs to hereditary diseases show other indications of defective organization. They are apt to be variable in temper, one day as glad as a day in May, the next the sadness of the darkest November oppresses them. They are capable of great physical and mental exertion for a brief time, but soon become exhausted and the depression is of much longer duration than the period of well-feeling. Sleeplessness is pretty certain to annoy them at times, and general lassitude, weakness, with pains in the back and limbs, make life wretched a good share of the time. Neuralgia in various forms is among their most frequent afflictions, and that located in one-half of the head is the most common of all.—Cor. Globe-Democrat.

A Hotel Clerk's Shrewd Scheme.

The room clerk at the Genesee house has a check system for valuable parcels which he claims is about the slickest wrinkle in the business. Often jewelry and diamond agents hand over the counter, before retiring, packages for the vault, the loss of which would make a serious hole in the clerk's weekly salary. He takes a blank card and writes the name of the owner on it. Then whipping out a pair of shears he saws through the card and the name and hands over half to the agent, pinning the other on the package. The matching of the card is conclusive proof, and the clerk claims that it is a check with which there can be no monkeying.—Buffalo Courier.

A New Industry in North Carolina.

A company in which some of our New Yorkers are interested has recently been organized in North Carolina for the purpose of catching porpoises. Steamers have been purchased and the fish are taken with nets. The oil is tried out and the meat converted into a fertilizer. The fins are made into gelatine and the hide is turned into an excellent leather. This is used for making shoes and is said to be soft and pliable and almost everlasting. The enterprise promises to be very successful.—New York Market Journal.

Cultivating Oyster Beds in China.

The Chinese cultivate oyster beds most successfully. They fasten old oyster shells to bamboo splints, which they then stick in mud flats swept by strong tidal currents. The shells are supposed to attract the oyster spat, which adheres to them and shortly develop into tiny oysters. Then the bamboos are transplanted to other flats and the crop grows rapidly.—Chicago Herald.

September 1st, 1785, Napoleon Buonaparte was gazetted a second lieutenant in the Regiment of Lefere. September 7th, 1812, saw the beginning of the end—the Battle of Moscow. Sedan—'70.

An honest Brooklyn dame standing beside the corpse of her deceased husband, bewailing in piteous tones his untimely departure, observed: "It's a pity he's dead, as his teeth are as good as ever they were."

A young man of Clyde, N. Y., shot a muskrat and waded into the water to get it. He intruded upon the spawning ground of a shoal of pickerel and was attacked by a large number of old males so fiercely that he was glad to get away.

Adam was the first Jew to demand pork. He got a spare rib. And the apple sauce he got afterward proved a very unhealthy diet.

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"Mother, this book tells about the angry waves of the ocean. Now what makes the ocean get angry?" "Because it has been crossed so often, my son."

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
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A housewife in Napa Valley, Cal., killed a chicken, and in preparing it for cooking found a gold breastpin two inches long in its gizzard.

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A blind man who was taunted in San Francisco recently pitched into the crowd headlong and thrashed alke the guilty and the innocent.

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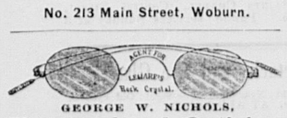
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The Woburn Journal

NORTH WOBURN IN 1820.

No. 4.

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The social customs of 1820 were, at least in North Woburn, very unlike those of the present time. There was immeasurably less of stiff formality. Everybody knew everybody, and there was far greater interest, at least, greater expressed interest in each other's welfare. Neighbors called upon each other oftener and wholly without the conventional order of calls which is now common. Besides the frequent afternoon gatherings and occasional "quiltings" of the ladies, who remained to tea, and of the men to spend a social evening at the house of some one of their number, the ladies used often to just "run in" or "drop in," as they called it, and, on leaving, the familiar words, "take your work and run in," were pretty sure to form the parting salute.

One of the most interesting forms of the social intercourse of sixty years and more ago, was what we have rarely now—family and neighborhood "singings." There were many singers here in those days, including a considerable number of scientific singers. There was one large family, whose members, of three generations, used often to sing together, and sometimes, the most difficult music of the day. Occasionally they were joined by others in other homes, and in some instances, all met in the old shool-house for an entire evening of the delightful pastime. These gatherings are for me among the most pleasant memories of the past.

Books and newspapers in 1820 were comparatively very rare in North Woburn. There was no available library even in the town, and if I rightly remember, there was no Sabbath school library till sometime after this date, though there was a Sabbath school two years earlier. But the few books we had were substantial and useful, and a great deal more thoughtfully read than books generally seem to be read now. I distinctly remember with what an insatiable hunger I craved books and with what eagerness I made myself master of their contents, reading sometimes to a later hour of the night than any one beside myself was aware. And, to this day, I remember the titles and the substance of not a few of those old stray volumes which I managed to borrow here and there.

There were then no daily papers, and I can recall not more than two, or at most, three, weekly papers, one being the oldest religious paper in the country, the *Boston Recorder*, and another, a secular paper called, if I rightly remember, *The Independent Chronicle*. There may have been one or two others with which I was less familiar, but I cannot distinctly recall them by name. All the numerous, if not numberless, papers we now see have come into existence in comparatively recent years.

There were differing political parties in North Woburn then as now, and to me, it is very curious, as well as suggestive, to notice the changes that, from time to time, have come over all parties. On the eve of great elections, the fever ran *high*, sometimes very high, but I think it did not run *so low*, as in some of our more recent elections. At any rate, I am happy to believe that all parties had more self-respect, as such, than they seem to have in these later days. I faintly remember the second term of James Munroe's administration; distinctly remember the election and administration of John Quincy Adams, and of course those of Andrew Jackson and his successors.

To go from the less to the greater, as I honestly believe, I must say something of the *family* government of the long ago. I trust the younger parents will pardon me, if I say that to me, family government seems, during the last sixty years, to have changed hands. There is just as much, if not more, of it, but it is too often the children who govern. Whether they are competent or not to sustain the responsibilities and burdens of the office of rulers, it is no part of my present object to decide. I have no doubt that parents in 1820 sometimes made sad mistakes, but no one of their mistakes was, in my judgment, the delegation of their natural and legal *authority* to the children. To one who can remember, as I can, how it was when I was a child myself, the change that has come over the community in the matter of family government, seems very great, and I fear, forebodes anything but good. And it is to this source that I am compelled to attribute a large proportion of the immensely increased degeneracy, during the last half century, of our village morals. It is a poor relief to say, what is doubtless true, that the morals of other communities are no better than our own. But obviously, this part of the general subject before us, is too wide for present discussion, and I pass on to speak briefly of the military organizations of 1820.

There were, as there had long been, two companies of militia, called East and West. Every man of proper age, living on the east side of Main street at any point from Medford to Wilmington, was a member of the East company, and every man living on the west side of that street was a member of the West company, the numbers being nearly equal on the two sides. As was to be expected, there was at times, considerable rivalry between the two companies, and each strove to outshine and outdo the other. Besides these there was a company of Artillery and another of Cavalry or "Troopers," as the boys used to call them. These were composed of men from several towns, Woburn included. Twice or thrice each year, these companies were required to come together for inspection and drill. These occasions, called "Trainings," were days of unbounded enthusiasm among the boys, including some of a large growth. Here and there was to be seen an old soldier of the Revolutionary army among the spectators. Sometimes these relics of the olden time appeared in the rusty uniform of those former days. One man never failed to be present thus equipped, and the boys, who thought he made the most of himself, used playfully to put into his lips the words: "Soldiers, this is the uniform in which I fought, bled and *died* for my country." At these "trainings" in town, there were ordinarily only the two companies of militia which were composed wholly of Woburn men. At the annual muster, regimental or brigade, sometimes at North Reading, sometimes at Lexington, and more frequently on Winn's plain, midway between this village and Cummingsville, all military companies, within certain prescribed limits, were present, and the occasion was one of universal interest in all the towns represented. And, so far as I remember, I should say there was not then a fiftieth part of the lawlessness and drunkenness which are often "reported" on similar occasions of late.

I intended to say something of the churches of 1820, but the little I have to offer cannot include details. There was, at that time, instead of the eleven or twelve religious societies of to-day, only two in town, the houses of worship, Congregational and Baptist, being both at the Centre, the former standing where the Unitarian church now stands, the latter, a third of a mile or more north of the Common, on Main street, nearly opposite the Unitarian parsonage. The one or the other of these two churches nearly everybody in this village attended. I can scarcely recall a half dozen men who did not attend. This fact, however, does not prove that the people of the village did not differ then as well as now. To a limited extent, there were those who differed widely. But the old church-going *habit* still remained. As nearly every family kept a horse and carriage, the older people rode, while throngs of the young people walked and, as they termed it, "staid at noon," there being always two public services. Well do I remember how when, for any reason, I was detained at home, I used to watch the long line of returning carriages with never-failing interest. To my young eyes, the procession seemed sometimes to stretch for nearly a quarter of a mile, from the old Canal bridge to the ascent of Ward Hill where I had my outlook. As North Woburn, then, was the most thickly settled part of the town, a large proportion of the Congregations went from here. I will only add on this part of our subject that, at the time I have specified, Rev. Joseph Chickering was the pastor of the Congregational church, and in that year, Rev. George Phippen left the Baptist Church, and the Rev. Adoniram Judson, father of the distinguished Baptist missionary of the same name, immediately succeeded him.

Before I close, I wish to say something of the men and boys of 1820.

Of the men in more or less active life, somewhere near sixty in number, not one is now living. Not one has been living for quite a number of years. Among those who were, in 1820, just passing off the stage of life, was Dea. Samuel Thompson, better known perhaps as Samuel Thomson, Esq. He had been a man of far more than the average intelligence, of wonderful energy and enterprise and of ceaseless activity. He was farmer, town officer, parish officer, church officer, public surveyer, and agent in general for a great variety of social and public affairs. Living to be nearly 90 years of age, he had outlived almost every man of his own generation, and, during the last few years of his life, he might have been said to outlive himself. The strong man yielded at last, and he entered upon a second childhood. Even this, at length gave place to almost entire mental decay. I well remember him as almost continually walking the streets, usually, up and down, to a certain point each way on the street, now Elm street, on which he lived. He was always quiet and harmless, and seemed rarely to speak to any one or to notice any one. But whenever and wherever he found a loose stone on the way, he was sure to stop, pick it up, and carefully place it on the street wall. Few men, born in Woburn, have had a history from the age of 17 years to past 80, so crowded with interest as Samuel Thompson, Esq. of North Woburn.

The names of the men upon the more active stage of life in North Woburn, at about the time we have in review, are the following. We begin at Central Square and include what was then called New Boston:—

E. Flagg Poole, John Scottow, Jacob Converse, James F. Baldwin, Col. Benj. Frank Baldwin, Archelaus Tay, Josiah Tay, Oliver Tay, Alexander Mackay, John Mackay, Capt. Jonathan Thompson, Jonathan Thompson Jr., Cyrus Thompson, Charles Thompson, Maj. Abijah Thompson, Christopher P. Hosmer, Moses Winn, Jonathan Tidd, Sen., Jonathan Tidd, Jr., William Tidd, Charles Flagg, Thomas Poole, Willard Jones, Capt. Stephen Nichols, Lilley Eaton, Lot Eaton, Josiah Brown, Ephriam Brown, Nathan Wyman, John Buxton, Sen., John Buxton, Jr., William Tay, Sen., William Tay, Jr., Joseph Trask, Jephthah Munroe, Ebenezer Reed, John Eames, Stephen Eames, Josiah Flagg, Maj. Ebe Tay, Jonas Munroe, Elijah Wyman, Charles Wyman, Randolph Wyman, Jacob Ames, Robert Ames, Jerry Converse, Sen., Jerry Converse, Jr., Samuel Converse, Jonathan Tyler, Ezra Kimball.

Of course, it is not possible to speak of each of these men in detail, though much could be said of most of them. For a special reason, I will refer more particularly to one;—Jonathan Tidd, Jr., the father of Jonathan and Marshall of to-day. He was one of the many sufferers from the great Clapp House disaster. Unlike some, however, he escaped with his life, but he was made a cripple for life. It was only with great difficulty that he could move about even with artificial helps. Yet he was a man of great energy of character, clear-headed, positive, enterprising. He had under his constant supervision and control one of the oldest, and one of the largest, of the leather manufacturies then existing in town. It was, in some sense, the parent of many other similar establishments, and many apprentices who, from time to time, there learned their trade, went forth to establish themselves in the business at various points in Woburn and in other towns. The business career of Jonathan Tidd, Jr., afforded a marked example of what a man can do, even under formidable difficulties, when the spirit of enterprise and determination is in him. He died in 1830, twenty-three years after the disaster that came near to costing him his life on the spot.

Of the boys of 1820, my own schoolmates and playmates, it gives me a sort of lonely feeling to say that they too are nearly all gone. Of those from four to six years older than myself, only four remain:—Rufus Poole, Charles R. Thompson, Henry Thompson, and Jonathan Tidd. Of those from two to three years older than myself, only two are living;—Warren Poole and Charles Tay. Of those from one to two or three years younger than myself, only three are among us:—C. P. Hosmer, and William and Henry Poole. There were some ten or twelve others, most of them nearer to my own age, who are now all gone from among us and all but one, dead. Among them were Prescott Tay, Lewis Shaw, Franklin Tidd, Loammi Baldwin, John Eames, John Richardson, Curtis Kimball, Stephen Nichols, Loren Poole, and probably others whose names I do not now recall.

Thus, my friends, so far as it can properly be done on an occasion like this, I have pretty nearly gleaned the field I had in mind when I proposed to speak of North Woburn in 1820. For the older people among us, especially I am sure that many of these reminiscences must have an interest. It is of course, possible that, in some of the items, my memory may have been partially at fault. But I have endeavored to state the facts as I remember them, and I feel confident of their substantial correctness. If the account I have given has afforded even a transient interest to those who have listened, I shall feel rewarded for my labor, and I close with wishing the largest measure of prosperity for the North Woburn of the future and for the "Village Union" as one of the agencies for achieving it. L. T.

Another Abraham Lincoln Story.

An old gentleman who was on intimate terms at the White House during the war said to the *Telegram* correspondent to-day: "Stories about Mr. Lincoln are plenty enough, but I will tell you one I can vouch for as being true, and which, as far as my knowledge is concerned, has never been in print. One of Mr. Lincoln's most esteemed friends was Ex-Gov. Tod, of Ohio. He was a quaint old character, and Lincoln loved him for his honesty, ability and native shrewdness. At one time he thought of Mr. Tod in connection with the secretaryship of the treasury, but afterward he gave him a foreign mission. One evening when Mr. Tod was in town, Mr. Lincoln invited him over to the White House. They had a long chat together, when Mr. Lincoln finally said: 'Look here, Tod, how is it you spell your name with only one d? I married a Todd, but she spelled her name with two d's. All of her relatives do the same. You are the first Tod I ever met who spelled his name with so few letters."

"Old Tod looked at Mr. Lincoln in his peculiarly quizzing manner and then replied: 'Mr. President, God spells his name with one d, and what is good enough for God is good enough for me.'

"Mr. Lincoln used to repeat the story to some of his most intimate friends, and every time he did so, he would laugh until the tears ran down over that furrowed but grand face."

Crying is a prime evidence of pain. When the Baby is fretful and inclined to "Crying Spells," remove the cause by using Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup.

Our Dumb Friends.

The shops on Regent Street are just now filled with hats, bonnets, sashes, and dresses positively laden with birds as ornaments. On the top of one of these we have counted as many as eighteen handsome creatures, but so closely packed in a straight line that, apart from the question of wanton slaughter, there is silly exaggeration and bad taste in grouping. There is ample justification, says a correspondent, for those who are asking for public condemnation of the practice of wearing the feathers of rare birds as trimmings. It seems cruel and barbarous to destroy things which serve only, when their little lives are given up, not for food but solely for ornament, and satisfy only a passing caprice. And when it comes, not to killing a comparatively small number of countless doves, but to gathering our small birds into a mantle or cloak, simply because they are so rare as to be very valuable in quantity, then words are hardly to be found which sufficiently condemn those who countenance such waste of life. Yet we read, now and again of rare feather garments; of ring-doves being "fashionable"; of the robin being used as an ornament. It is said that winters are strongly marked by such trimmings. "A firm in Paris," says the *Detroit Free Press*, "ordered from New York 40,000 birds of beautiful plumage, and these are being used on hats and bonnets, or otherwise on dress." Mrs. Mackay, it is said, has appeared in Paris in a white satin robe garlanded with robins' wings; Miss Work, au amateur theatrical star of distinction, appeared in a costume, worn at a wedding, which called for a sacrifice of one hundred golden-throated canaries! Sarah Burnhardt has in her wardrobe a superb feather mantle, and Olive Logan used to have one made entirely of tiny blue feathers over-lapping one another, which must have involved the employment of hundreds of tiny birds. There is no excuse to be urged for such bird slaughter for the sake of feather trimmings.

A Few Precepts for Married Women.

Always remember that you are married to a man and not a god; be prepared for imperfections.

Once in a while let your husband have the last word; it will gratify him and be no particular loss to you.

Do be reasonable; it is a great deal to ask under some circumstances; reasonable women are rare—be rare.

Anticipate the discovery by your husband that you are "only a woman;" if you were not he would not care about you.

Remember that servants are made of the same material as you are; a little coarser grained, perhaps, but the same in essentials.

Let your husband read the newspaper at the breakfast table; it is unsociable, but then it is only a trifle after all, and he likes it.

Read something in the papers besides fashion notes and society columns; have some knowledge of what is going on in foreign countries.

Try and forget yourself; as to your husband, forget that you married him and remember that he married you; he will then probably do the reverse.

Be a companion to your husband if he is a wise man; and if he is not, try and make him your companion. Raise his standard; do not let him lower yours.

Let your husband know more than you do once in a while; it keeps up his self-respect and you will be none the worse for admitting that you are not actually infallible.

Respect your husband's prejudices, respect his relations, especially his mother—she is not the less his mother because she is your mother-in-law; she loved him before you did.

The Sunny Side of the Road.

Charity is a first mortgage on every human being's possessions.

The resurrection is the silver lining to the dark cloud of death, and we know the sun is shining beyond.

The most cross-grained are by no means the worst of mankind, or the humblest in station the least polished in feeling.

Our Lord has written the promise of the resurrection not in books alone, but in every leaf in spring-time.

There is nothing so sweet as a duty, and all the best pleasures of life come in the wake of duties done.

Let grace and goodness be the principal load-stone of thy affections. For love which hath ends will have an end, whereas that which is founded on true virtue will always continue.

The warm sunshine and the gentle zephyr may meet the glaciers which has bid defiance to the howling tempest; so the voice of kindness will touch the heart which no severity could subdue.

Show me a father who fences his home around with God's commandments, and lights it up with domestic comforts and pleasures, and anchors himself to his home, and I will show you the best kind of restraint from dangerous evening resorts.

Miraculous Escape.

W. W. Reed, druggist, of Winchester, Ind., writes: "One of my customers, Mrs. Louisa Pike, Bartonia, Randolph Co., Ind., was a long sufferer with Consumption, and was given up to die by her physicians. She heard of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and begun buying it of me. In six months time she walked to this city, a distance of six miles, and is now so much improved she has quit using it. She feels she owes her life to it." Free Trial Bottles at W. W. Hill's Drug store.

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LITERARY NOTICES.

The July Number of HARPER'S MAGAZINE is in every way a remarkable Number. It opens with a brilliant instalment of Mr. Warner's delightful summer serial Their Pilgrimage, made still more delightful by Mr. C. S. Reinhart's illustrations. This instalment introduces the reader to the charms of Narragansett Pier, the Isles of Shoals, and Martha's Vineyard. Many of the papers of the number are profusely and beautifully illustrated and generally with the reproduction of out door scenes. The articles are all fresh and good, and the number all through is an excellent one.

*** Sold by The New England News Co., and in Woburn by Sparrow Horton of the Old Woburn Bookstore.

THE COTTAGE HEARTH for July is brimful of good things, both literary, pictorial, and musical. In the way of fashion plates and descriptions the ladies will find what they want, all late and stylish. This feature of COTTAGE HEARTH is a valuable one. The number contains good stories, poetry, and other literary contributions. We publish an offer in relation to this excellent magazine and THE JOURNAL on another page. Please make a note of it.

The Population of Woburn

Is about 12,000, and we would say at least one half are troubled with some affection of Throat and Lungs, as those complaints are according to statistics more numerous than others. We would advise all not to neglect the opportunity to call on us and get a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Price 50 cents and $1. Trial size free. Respectfully, Chas. H. Buss, Druggist.

Fresh Air Fund.

The "Fresh Air Fund," Boston, has entered upon its seventh season of benevolent work.

The expenditure of five dollars gives a ride into the suburbs of the city to one hundred persons; ten dollars enables thirty-three persons to enjoy a sail to Nantasket Beach: and twenty-five dollars conveys one hundred persons to Franklin Park, and provides for them an abundant dinner.

All who desire to have a share in this charity, which brings so much refreshment to poor and feeble mothers and their children who would not otherwise enjoy a day in the country or at the seashore, are requested to send their donation to

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How to laundry linen as it is done in Troy, N. Y., has been kept a secret long enough; it can and should be done in every family. The ELASTIC STARCH is the only starch in the United States that is put up by men have a practical knowledge of the laundry profession. It requires no cooking, keeps the iron from sticking and linen from blistering while ironing, and gives shirts, cuffs and collars that stiffness and beautiful polish they have when new, which, everybody knows keeps them clean twice as long. Beware of imitations. See that the name J. C. HUBINGER & BROS., New Haven, Conn., is on every package.

"I don't pretend to be a great fighter" said a little passenger from Louisville, "but when I was in Cincinnati last week, I was taking a stroll late at night over the Rhine when two footpads waylaid me, and were about to knock me down, when I struck a belligerent attitude and raised my hand. Well, sir, those ruffians fled as quick as if a patrol wagon had suddenly loomed up in front of them."

"That was great presence of mind that you displayed," remarked a drummer from Pittsburg.

"Oh, no," replied the Louisville man, modestly, "it wasn't presence of mind. It was a revolver ten inches long."—*Chicago Herald.*

What was it, John,

That made your face so free and clear from pimples, said his sweetheart. Why, don't you know, Eva? For over a year I took everything I could think of without helping me, then I bought two bottles of Sulphur Bitters, and now I haven't one pimple on my face. It is the best blood cleanser I ever saw.

It appears from a recent book on sea legends that there are many ways to raise the wind. You may suspend a he-goat skin at the mast head, you may flog a boy at the mast, you may burn a broom and let the handle turn toward the desired quarter, you may blow out to sea the dust from the chapel floor, you may stick a knife in the mizzen-mast or scratch the foremast with a nail, and so on.

Food for the brain and nerves that will invigorate the body without intoxicating, is what we need in these days of rush and worry. Parker's Tonic restores the vital energies, soothes the nerves, and brings good health quicker than any thing you can use.

A young boy, who recently left his St. Paul home to attend a preparatory school, is not much taken with the change. He is suffering his first case of homesickness, and naturally desires to return to his home. In making known his desires to his father in a recent letter he said: "Dear father—Life is short; let us spend it together. Your affectionate son."

Hay Fever and Rose Cold

Are attended by an inflamed condition of the lining membrane of the nostrils, tear-ducts and throat, affecting the lungs. An acrid mucus is secreted, the discharge is accompanied with a burning sensation. There are severe spasms of sneezing, frequent attacks of headache, watery and inflamed eyes. Ely's Cream Balm is a remedy that can be depended upon. 50 cents at druggists; by mail, registered, 60 cents. Ely Brothers, Druggists, Owego, N. Y.

"I want some pie," said young Angus at dinner at his grandfather's. "Have patience," said his grandmother. "Which would you rather have," said his grandfather, "patience or pie?" "Pie," replied Angus, emphatically. "But then," said his grandfather, "there might not be any left for me." "Well, you might have patience," said the boy.

Scott's Emulsion of Pure

Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, is more reliable as an agent in the cure of Consumption, Chronic Coughs and Emaciation, than any remedy known to medical science. It is so prepared that the potency of these two most valuable specifics is largely increased. It is also very palatable.

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Is inseparably connected with Hood's Sarsaparilla, and is true of no other medicine. It is an unanswerable argument as to strength and economy, while thousands testify to its superior blood-purifying and strengthening qualities. A bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla contains 100 doses and will last a month, while others will average to last not over a week. Hence, for economy, buy only Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"I've just found out why lightning never strikes twice in the same place," said Farmer Furrow to the deacon, as they stood under a tree during a thunder storm. "Why is it?" asked the deacon. "Because, sir, the same place is never there after the lightning once hits it."

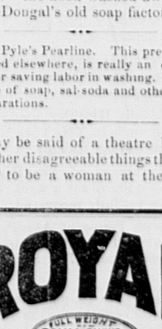
Stop it at once. If you see your nurse giving the baby either Laudanum, Paregoric or any soothing remedy containing opiates, stop it at once. If you want a good medicine for your children, get Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup, warranted to contain nothing injurious, but safe and efficient. Price 25 cents.

"The storm king hurled his torn and tumbling torrents over the ruins of the broken and dismembered edifice," said the young reporter. "What's that? What do you mean, young fellow?" "I er-er—the flood washed away Patrick McDougal's old soap factory."

James Pyle's Pearline. This preparation, advertised elsewhere, is really an excellent article for saving labor in washing. It takes the place of soap, sal-soda and other chemical preparations.

It may be said of a theatre hat, like some other disagreeable things that there is likely to be a woman at the bottom of it.

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The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, JUNE 25, 1886.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of S Horton, 195 Main Street, A. Robie, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, North Woburn, Cooper's News Stand at the Centre Depot, and at G. P. Brown's, Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

☞ The bill passed by both branches of the Legislature to exempt soldiers from the operation of the civil service rules was vetoed by Gov. Robinson last Monday. Whatever the merits of the measure may have been the veto will very likely cost Gov. Robinson his election, if he should be the Republican candidate this fall, of which however there is no probability. At the best it will be a heavy weight for the party to carry in the next election. The act of the Governor was an unwise concession to the demands of a small political faction who are entitled to no favors from his or Republican hands.

☞ Last Tuesday the Massachusetts House voted to engross a bill to increase the salary of the Representatives from $650 to $800. They have needlessly prolonged the session into mid-summer and now are cheeky enough to vote themselves extra pay for doing what might just as well have been done in three months as six. It is not unlikely that the members who engineered this raid on the pockets of the people will hear from it again next fall. But the Senate will head off the steal.

☞ For several days past President Cleveland has been yielding more than ordinary indulgence to his passion for vetoes. The old soldiers are faring badly at his hands. On Monday he "set down" on thirteen private pension bills, and, it is said, looked over his shoulder for more. It is regarded as a poor day for vetoes when the President does not send back a dozen or so of them.

☞ The destruction by fire of the Mechanic Institute building on Huntington Avenue, Boston, last Monday afternoon, was a frightful calamity. Six men were burned to death in the immense structure, and the amount of property laid in ashes was $350,000, which belonged to the Metropolitan Street Railway Company.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

G. A. Bean—Found.
S. R. Niles—Money.
S. S. Green—Auction.
C. M. Munroe—To Let.
W. H. Curtis—4th of July.
J. G. Maguire—Tax Sales.
Town of Woburn—By-Laws.
Sherman Converse—Citation.
P. L. Converse—Mortg. Sale.
Paine Furniture Co.—Furniture.
P. F. Murray—App. for License.
Five Cents Savings Bank—Meeting.

— Mr. G. A. Bean has found some money. See card.

— Our Wilmington letter came to hand to late for this week.

— Yesterday was St. John's Day—observed generally by Free Masons.

— Burgess offers some rare attractions in his column this week. Read it.

— The sale of fireworks begins at Curtis's great Bazaar on Friday, July 2.

— The graduating exercises of the High School will take place next Friday.

— Contributions for the "Woman's Column" were received too late for this week's issue.

— The colored religious society of this place hold their Sabbath meetings in Pollard's Grove.

— Curtis's Bazaar will keep open early and late before the 4th of July. Remember this.

— Woburn has 90 miles of highways to keep in good condition. It requires many men to do it.

— It was said to us that there was a slight frost in this region last Friday night. It did no harm.

— After July 1, Mr. C. M. Munroe will have a nice tenement of 7 rooms to rent on Salem street.

— The Five Cents Savings Bank has a notice for a meeting in this paper, including one to depositors.

— Auctioneer Gleason of Watertown has an advertisement in this paper about the sale of some property.

— Mr. Benjamin Hinckley made a business trip to northern New York last week. He returned on Monday.

— Principal Hanson of the High School has been quite ill for a week or two and has not yet fully recovered.

— Rev. Joseph Pettee of Abington will officiate at All Saints Chapel, Montvale, Sunday June 27. Service ta 3 o'clock.

— Those who wish to purchase a family display of fireworks for the 4th, should call and see Curtis's great stock at his Bazaar.

— The *Globe* reporter gets a slap in the face from the *Advertiser* this week which, we guess, will keep his mouth shut for a spell or so.

— A team driven by John Doherty ran over a little girl of Robert H. Corry's on Kilby street, last Saturday, and injured her quite seriously.

— Not a yip yet from the venerable editor down by the old depot, and member of the Perpetual Committee, about a 4th of July celebration.

— Hon. E. W. Hudson was unanimously elected on honorary member of the Suburban Press Association at a meeting held in Boston last Saturday.

— The clothing dealers are rattling off summer garments with a rush this week. Buck, Munroe and Hammond have just more than their hands full of business.

— The postoffice controversy at Montvale has been settled by the appointment of Thomas Kerrigan, a true-blue Democrat. Where is Freddie Williams?

— People going to house-keeping can buy a complete outfit from the kitchen, through the parlor, up to the attic, at Prior's Woburn Bargain Store, cheaper than in Boston.

— Medium priced Furniture, especially adapted to seashore and country cottages, can be found at Paine's Furniture Company, Boston, in great variety and at very low prices.

— Mr. Holdsworth at the Centre, and Mr. Hanson at No. Woburn, were granted leave to sell fireworks on certain days at a special meeting of the Board of Selectmen, last Tuesday night.

— Four new boxes were added to our fire-alarm system last week, namely: 38, at Winn and Bedford; 68, Summer and Main; 67, Kilby and Main; 69, Canal and Pleasant. They were needed.

— A portrait of the late George M. Champney, the first Librarian of our Public Library, painted by his son at Lexington, has been hung in the main gallery of the Library. Art critics say it is a very fine one.

— Mann boudoir cars will run daily between Boston and the Fabyan House, after the 28th instant, on the trains leaving Boston at 1 and 7 P. M., and leaving Fabyan's at 9.30 A. M. and 10.30 P. M., by the Boston & Lowell road.

— A grand reception and dinner were given by the Bay State Club at Parker's last week, in honor of the visit of Gov. Hill of New York State to Boston. Representative John P. Crane and Dr. C. T. Lang of Woburn were among the large party of Democrats present.

— If a railroad station is not to be built at Central Square this season the proprietor of the land for one is laboring under mistaken notions. He has bargained with the Company to sell them a site for the depot and it is all staked off. There's a screw loose somewhere.

— Mr. F. W. Ruggles, our Main street dealer in art wares, has gone to Stockton, Maine, to take the stewardship of Fort Point House, Cape Jellison, at the head of Penobscot Bay, one of the most charming seaside resorts on the eastern Atlantic coast. This is Mr. Ruggles's usual and favorite summer employment.

— Hon. John Cummings of this town, President of the Shawmut National Bank of Boston, is one of the Vice-Presidents of the American Bankers Association, the annual convention of which will be held in Agricultural Hall, Boston, on next August 11 and 12. Great national interests are the subjects for deliberation.

— Boston District, No. 6, of the Templar Order, which is composed of Boston, Woburn, Salem, and some other towns will hold its first quarterly meeting in Fraternity Hall to-morrow, Saturday, evening. The District was organized on March 27 last, and this being its first assembly it is expected a large number will attend.

— Mrs. John Cummings invited the Woman's Club—the literary organization par excellence of Woburn—to come to her house, between 4 and 6 yesterday afternoon, to meet Gail Hamilton, who has been an honored guest at the Cummings mansion this week. The Club accepted, and a pleasant season was passed by all present.

— A new time-table will be issued by the Boston & Lowell Railroad on the 28th of this month. Woburn will get several additional trains. The 10.40 p. m. train will not be restored, but the 9.27 p. m. will be advanced to 9.42 p. m., which will answer the purpose very well. There is also to be a train between 7.23 a. m. and 8.20 a. m. The first morning train out will arrive 23 minutes earlier than at present.

— The carpenters and other mechanics are making good progress on the new Town House which in a few weeks will be ready for occupation. It will make firstclass quarters for the Boards of Selectmen, Assessors, Water, the Treasurer, Collector, Police and District Court. Each occupant will have a plenty of very convenient and pleasant room, while the location is as desirable as anything can be. The change will prove a good and economical one.

— Mr. Patrick Kyle, while conversing with his friend Mr. Luke Balfe in the store of Moore & Morris, 227 Main street, last Saturday evening, fell in an apoplectic fit and died early Sunday morning. There were many rumors respecting the matter on Saturday evening and Sunday all of which were without foundation. An autopsy on Sunday showed the brain of Kyle to have been in a diseased condition, and that he was liable to fall and die at any time. He was 41 years old, and left a widow and six children.

— A report was published in the *Globe* the other evening that Boston parties had been looking over Woburn with a view of publishing a Directory of the town. Considering that Mr. Allen's Directory is pretty well under way we should think it rather venturesome for outside parties to come into the field, but it is said on good authority that the fools are not all dead yet, so possibly the *Globe* report is true. We should think however that Woburn business men would stick to Mr. Allen and encourage home industries.

— The Woburn Brass Band will give a concert on the Common, next Wednesday evening, June 30, with the following

PROGRAMME

1. March. Militaire. Hermann
2. Cornet Waltzer. Trinity College. Missud
3. Selection. Trovatore. Verdi
4. *a* { Danza Mexicana-Abrojas. Aviles
   b { Serenade. Magnolia. Missud
5. Clarionet Solo. Selected. J. A. Brauer.
6. Overture. Orpheus in Der Underwelt. Offenbach
7. Serio Comic. Fantasia. Wiesenborn
8. Rheinlander. Black Eyed May. Niebig
9. Gloria. 12th Mass. Mozart
10. Concert Galop. Reitzel

T. H. MARRINAN.

— The postponed Children's Day S. S. concert at the Baptist church, last Sabbath evening, was very interesting. There were quite a good many visitors from the other churches which with the home people made a nice large audience. Superintendent Blodgett conducted the exercises which consisted of scripture reading, literary exercises by the pupils of the Sunday School, singing, and other things. The small people performed their several parts admirably—indeed, as for that matter all the parts of the concert were carried out remarkably well. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Winn, made a few remarks, and the exercises were appropriately closed.

— An alarm from box 32 on Monday afternoon was caused by a fire on the premises of Mr. Luther A. Fowle on Lexington street. On account of the distance from hydrants Engineer Littlefield caused a second alarm to be rung, and considerable time elapsed before water could be brought to bear on the burning buildings. A barn and storehouse were destroyed and the house considerably injured. About 500 bushels of corn, 18 tons of hay, 3 hogs, a wagon and some farming tools were burned. The loss was estimated at $3,500, no insurance. The fire was evidently the work of incendiaries. William Stevens, a fireman, was seriously injured by falling from a ladder; Mr. G. W. Fish of the H. & L. was overcome by smoke and had to be carried home, while Mr. George H. Newcomb, foreman of Hose 6, was struck by a falling piece of timber but not much hurt.

— Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Putnam, Dr. and Mrs. Seth W. Kelley, Mrs. M. and Miss Josephine S. Hinckley, Mr. Fred H. Rogers and Miss Carrie Thompson constituted the party that astonished Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hill at their residence on Prospect street, last Monday evening, it being the fourth anniversary of their wedding day. Although the affair was a perfect surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Hill, the thought of anything of the kind never having entered their minds, they entertained the company handsomely and made their visit a pleasant one. Mrs. Putnam had arranged that the token by which guests could be admitted into the inner circles should be three daisies worn on the breast, and if any were so unfortunate as to be present without it they were excluded from all participation in affairs. Our reporter failed to discover any such unlucky individual present. Two original poems were read and cordial congratulations extended, but the most enjoyable feature of the occasion (no disrespect to the poets is intended) was the music by Mr. Fred Rogers. His playing was not only excellent but it was also a great surprise, for no one of the party, or anybody else, had had a thought that he knew aught of music, much less that he was a performer of such rare qualities. Ice-cream, lemonade and other good things were set out in due time which, as well as the whole evening, were highly enjoyed by the surprise party and the surprised.

Board of Trade.

The regular meeting of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trade, held last Tuesday evening, was an important one. Chairman Simonds presided. After disposing of some routine business a report from the special committee—W. T. Grammer (Chairman) James Skinner and F. H. Lewis—was called for and response made by Col. Grammer. He reported that the committee met General Superintendent Mellen, Supt. of the Southern Division Simonds, and General Passenger Agent Tuttle, of the Boston & Lowell Railroad Company, at the Superintendent's rooms in the Boston depot, last Friday, where a very pleasant and profitable conference was held respecting the train service for Woburn. The committee were met and treated with marked courtesy by the officers; the conference was characterized by the best of feeling, and the result was highly satisfactory to all concerned. When the committee left they felt assured that the Management of the B. & L. R. R. Company, represented by Messrs. Mellen, Simonds and Tuttle, are determined to do all that lies in their power to promote the interests of Woburn and satisfy its people in respect to passenger accommodations.

Many matters pertinent to the subject under consideration were discussed in an open, frank and friendly manner, and the explanations given by the officers for the present condition of certain things were entirely satisfactory to the committee. Col. Grammer's report was highly complimentary to the Management for what they have done and propose to do for our town. The Chairman was followed by Mr. Skinner who heartily corroborated and endorsed Col. Grammer's statement, and added many interesting facts relative to the matter under consideration. He was very much pleased with the cordial reception accorded the committee by the officers, and expressed the conviction that Woburn would not suffer at their hands, but, otherwise, that our train service would be greatly improved, and our interests carefully looked after by the Company.

Mr. Lewis submitted some facts and figures relative to more trains and changes provided by the new time-table which will go into effect next Monday. There is to be a new train out which will fetch our morning mail some twenty minutes earlier than at present; an in train at 9.42 in the evening will take the place of the 9.27 train; there is to be an additional morning train which will be a great accommodation, and other additions and changes are to be made for the benefit of our people. This part of the committee's report will appear more fully in the new time-table next week. It is reasonably certain too that the autumn train arrangements will afford us still more and better facilities for nothern travel, as well as to and from Boston.

The report was fully discussed by the meeting, the speakers all conceding that it was a very favorable one, expressions of hearty good will towards the R. R. Managers were made, and the report was unanimously adopted.

North Woburn.

A Young Men's Christian Association, a branch of the organization at the Centre, has been instituted here and will open this week. It starts out with about 40 members, and with an enthusiasm that augurs well for its usefulness and success.

From A. H. S. Davis, formerly editor of "Chronicle," Farmington, Me.

"I have used your Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam, and pronounce it superior to any medicine of the kind I ever saw. It is simply invaluable as a household remedy for coughs, colds, and sore throats."

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

In the Superior Court, within and for the County Middlesex; Anno Domino, 1886.

The following By-Laws, of the Town of Woburn, in said County, are presented to this Court for approval, to wit:—

BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I.

TOWN MEETINGS.

SECTION 1.—The Annual Town Meeting for the choice of Town Officers and other purposes, shall be held on the first Monday in April in each year.

SECT. 2.—A written or printed copy of every Warrant for a Town meeting attested by the officer or person to whom it is directed, shall be posted up at each of the Government Post-offices of the town, and printed in each Newspaper published in town which is issued not less often than once a week, seven days at least before the time named therein for holding such meeting.

ARTICLE II.

FINANCIAL CONCERNS OF THE TOWN.

SECTION 1.—The financial year shall begin on the first day of March, and end on the last day of February.

SECT. 2.—No money (except State taxes and principal and interest of legally authorized Town Notes,) shall be paid by the Town Treasurer without a written or printed warrant for the same, signed by a majority of the Selectmen.

SECT. 3.—The Town Treasurer shall issue no note in the name of the Town, unless it is approved by a majority of the Selectmen.

SECT. 4.—The Selectmen shall cause to be printed and distributed ten days, at least, before the annual Town Meeting, the Treasurer's annual account, together with the report of the officers of the various departments, and the financial report of the expenditures of the Town for the year last past.

ARTICLE III.

TAXES.

SECTION 1.—All taxes shall be assessed and committed to the Collector or Collectors on or before the fifteenth day of August in each year, excepting in the year in which a new valuation shall be taken, then as soon as may be; and the tax bills shall be delivered by the Collector or Collectors, within sixteen days after such commitments.

SECT. 2.—All taxes shall be paid on or before the fifteenth day of October in each year. A delivery of a bill to a resident tax-payer or his agent, or left at his last and usual place of abode or business in this town, or deposited in the post-office addressed to him and postage thereon prepaid, or left with the tenant or agent of any non-resident tax-payer, if such tenant or agent be known to the Collector, shall in all cases be deemed a demand for payment of the tax.

SECT. 3.—In all cases where tax bills for poll, or for poll and personal tax only, are not paid on or before the fifteenth day of October in each year, it shall be the duty of the Collector or Collectors to forthwith send a summons to each delinquent, and if such delinquent does not pay the amount, with twenty cents added for such summons, within fourteen days from the date of said summons, the Collector or Collectors shall issue a warrant to an officer, who shall forthwith proceed to collect the amount due, in the manner provided by law, and on all other taxes remaining unpaid on the first day of January next ensuing after the date of assessment, the Collector shall proceed to collect by due process of law.

SECT. 4.—Every Collector shall pay over to the Town Treasurer all taxes by him collected except county tax at least once in each week until the collection is completed.

SECT. 5.—Every Collector shall file with the Board of Selectmen at their regular monthly meeting, a statement of the taxes collected for the preceding month, and annually within ten days after the close of the financial year shall submit to the Selectmen for settlement his account of the collection of taxes committed to him.

ARTICLE IV.

TREASURERS AND AUDITORS.

SECTION 1.—The Treasurer shall pay no bills until the same are approved by the Auditors.

SECT. 2.—The Auditors shall approve no bills in any department after the appropriation for that department is exhausted.

ARTICLE V.

HIGHWAYS, STREETS AND PUBLIC LANDS.

SECT. 1.—No person shall move, or cause to be moved, any building in a public street, in this town, without first having obtained written permission from the Selectmen; and any person who fails to comply with such terms as the Selectmen may think public safety requires them to set forth in any permit, shall forfeit and pay for every such offence the sum of ten dollars; provided, that the Selectmen shall in no case grant a permit for the removal of any building whatsoever, which, in the course of its removal, will be likely to destroy or damage any trees or shrubs, the property of individuals, whether standing in the roads or in the fields, unless the consent of such individuals is first had and obtained.

SECT. 2.—No person shall coast upon a sled or other vehicle, in or through any of the public streets, ways or sidewalks of this town, except it be on such streets, ways or sidewalks as are publicly announced as permitted by the Selectmen.

SECT. 3.—No person, except the highway surveyors in the lawful performance of their duties, or those acting under their orders, shall make or cause to be made, an excavation in a public street for any purpose whatever without having first obtained written permission from the Selectmen. And when an excavation is made in a street for any purpose, the person or persons by or for whom such excavation has been made, shall cause a rail or other sufficient fence to be placed so as to enclose such excavation and the dirt, gravel, or other material thrown therefrom, and such fence shall be maintained during the whole time for which the excavation continues, and he or they shall also cause a lighted lantern, or some other proper and sufficient light, to be fixed to some part of such fence, or in some other proper manner over or near the excavation, and over or near the dirt, gravel or other material taken therefrom, and so kept from the beginning of twilight through the whole of every night during all the time for which such excavation or obstruction exists.

SECT. 4.—Whoever, without first having obtained written permission from the Selectmen, obstructs a public street or sidewalk by placing or causing to be placed therein any article or thing whatsoever and suffers the same to remain in such position for more than five minutes, shall be liable to a penalty of not less than one nor more than twenty dollars.

SECT. 5.—No person shall place or cause to be placed in any public street of the town, the contents of any sink, cesspool, or privy, nor place any rubbish or garbage in the same, except for the purpose of immediate removal therefrom.

SECT. 6.—The contents of any sink, cesspool or privy shall only be removed in a vehicle effectually covered and water-tight, between the hours of six o'clock, *post meridian* and seven o'clock, *ante meridian*, unless otherwise permitted by the Board of Health.

SECT. 7.—No person having the care or use of any horse or vehicle, shall stop the same, or allow the same to remain, upon any crossing or flagging stone laid in or across any public street; and no such person shall allow any horse or vehicle to remain in any public street so as to obstruct the same, after being requested or ordered to remove such obstruction by any person having occasion to use such street, or by any police officer of the town.

SECT. 8.—No person without first having obtained written permission from the Selectmen, shall stand in any public street for the purpose of hawking or selling any article, or for the exercise of any business or calling, after being requested to desist therefrom by any police officer of the town.

SECT. 9.—No person shall remain for a longer time than twenty minutes upon a sidewalk in such a manner as to obstruct the free passage of foot travelers, and no person shall remain on a sidewalk in said manner after being requested by a police officer to move on.

SECT. 10.—No person shall place or keep on any sidewalk of the town, in front of any building, any awning, shade, or other projection, less than seven and a half feet above the sidewalk at the lowest part thereof, nor shall any such awning, shade or projection extend beyond the exterior line of the sidewalk.

SECT. 11.—No person shall fire or discharge a gun, fowling-piece, or fire-arm, on any public street of the town, except at a military exercise or review duly authorized by the military authorities of the Commonwealth, or on such occasions as the Selectmen may specially permit, or in the lawful defence of his person.

SECT. 12.—No person shall drive or pass with a vehicle of any kind upon any sidewalk in the town, *provided* that this shall not affect the right of any person to cross any sidewalk in entering or leaving private premises. No person shall draw, propel, or wheel on any sidewalk of the town, any hand-cart, sled, wheelbarrow, bicycle, tricycle, or other carriage, except children's carriages or sleds drawn by hand.

SECT. 13.—No gate, either for the use of persons, horses, cattle, carriages or vehicles of any kind, constructed in any fence abutting on the highways of the town, shall open outward over the sidewalk or highway.

SECT. 14.—No street or way shall hereafter be laid out in the town, of a less width than forty feet, except by a special vote of the town.

SECT. 15.—No person shall post up or affix in any manner a placard, notice, or bill, either written or printed, upon a fence, wall, or building in this town, and no person shall paint, print or write, or cause to be painted, printed or written, a notice, advertisement, or bill, upon a fence, wall or building in this town, unless he has previously obtained the consent of the person or persons having possession of such fence, wall or building.

SECT. 16.—No person shall, without first having obtained the written consent of the Selectmen, post up or affix in any manner, a placard, notice, or bill, either written or printed, upon a curbstone, sidewalk or tree in a street or public place in this town, or upon a wall, telegraph-pole, lamp-post, fence, or building belonging to the town, and no person shall, without such consent, paint, print, or write, or cause to be painted printed, or written, a notice, advertisement, or bill, upon a curbstone, sidewalk or tree in a street or public place in this town, or upon a wall, telegraph-pole, lamp-post, fence, or building belonging to the town.

SECT. 17.—No person shall behave in a disorderly manner, or utter any obscene or indecent language in any public street or public place in this town; and no person shall, without right, stand or remain upon a wall or fence, or upon any doorstep or other projection from a house or other building so as to annoy or disturb any person, or obstruct any passage to or from such house or building, after having been requested by a police officer of the town, or by the owner or occupant of any such building to depart and stay therefrom.

SECT. 18.—No person having the care or use of a horse or other beast of burthen, carriage or draught, shall ride, drive or permit such horse or other beast to go at a greater rate of speed than seven miles an hour in any public street in this town.

ARTICLE VI.

ALMSHOUSE AND WORKHOUSE.

SECTION 1.—It shall be the duty of the Overseers of the Poor to contract with a Master of the Almshouse and Workhouse for one year, which shall end on the last day of April.

SECT. 2.—It shall be the duty of the Master of the Almshouse and Workhouse under the direction of the Overseers of the Poor, to keep a permanent record of the names, ages, place of birth, last places of residence, and parents' names, of all persons who are or may be admitted to the Almshouse or Workhouse for support, or committed for punishment and the amount furnished to all persons who receive aid or assistance as paupers.

ARTICLE VII.

CATTLE.

No person shall pasture or cause to be pastured any cattle or other animals upon any street or way of the town, either with or without a keeper; but this provision shall not affect the right of a person to the use of land within the limits of any street or way adjoining his own premises. One half of any fine which may be imposed and recovered for the violation of this by-law shall be paid to the complainant.

ARTICLE VIII.

OF TRUANT CHILDREN.

SECTION 1.—Habitual truants and children between seven and fifteen years of age, who are found wandering about the streets and public places of this town, having no lawful occupation or business, not attending school, and growing up in ignorance, shall, upon conviction thereof, be committed, by the court or tribunal to which jurisdiction of such offences is given by the statutes of the commonwealth, to the "House for the Reception, Instruction, Employment and Reformation of Juvenile Offenders, in the city of Lowell and county of Middlesex," which institution is hereby assigned and provided as a suitable place for the confinement, discipline, and instruction of such truants and children.

ARTICLE IX.

NEGLECTED CHILDREN.

SECTION 1.—Any child under sixteen years of age, who, by reason of the neglect, crime, drunkenness, or other vice of his parents, or from orphanage, is suffered to be growing up without salutary parental control and education, or is in circumstances exposing him to lead an idle and dissolute life may, on proof thereof before any Court or Justice mentioned in Chapter 48, Section 20 of the Public Statutes, be committed to such institution of instruction, or other place that is now, or may hereafter be assigned for such purpose for such time as said court or justice may deem expedient, not extending beyond the age of twenty-one years for males or eighteen years for females, to be there kept, educated, and cared for according to law.

SECT. 2.—The Selectmen shall assign from time to time, some institution of instruction or other place to which children under sixteen years of age living in Woburn in the condition above described may be sent on conviction aforesaid, and they shall also appoint suitable persons to make complaints of violations of the provisions of Section 1 of this Article.

ARTICLE X.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SECTION 1.—No person shall play at ball or throw stones or snowballs or other missiles within or upon any of the streets or public places of the town.

SECT. 2.—No person shall swim or bathe in any of the waters within the town so as to be exposed to the view of passengers, or other persons, in any street, alley or house within the town.

SECT. 3.—The Selectmen shall have full authority, as agents of the town, to institute and prosecute suits in the name of the town and to appear and defend suits brought against it unless it is otherwise specially ordered by a vote of the town.

ARTICLE XI.

SECTION 1.—Whoever violates a provision of any by-law of the town, whether included in these By-laws, or hereafter enacted, shall, unless other provision is expressly made, be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty dollars for each offence.

SECT. 2.—When in any by-law anything is prohibited from being done without the license or permission of a certain officer or officers, such officer or officers shall have the power to license or permit such thing to be done.

SECT. 3.—Except as otherwise provided, any police officer or constable of the town, or the town treasurer, may prosecute for all breaches of the by-laws of the town, and may also prosecute for trespasses committed on any public building or enclosure within the limits of the town.

Which said By-Laws being seen and understood by the Court, are on this fifteenth day of June A. D., 1886, approved.

In testimony that the foregoing is a true copy of record, I hereto set my hand and affix the seal of said Court, this Sixteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-Six,

{ L. S. } WM. C. DILLINGHAM,
2d Asst. Clerk.

TOWN OF WOBURN.

Woburn, June 24, 1886.
A true copy. Attest: M. S. SEELEY,
Town Clerk.

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Resolutions of Respect.

At a regular meeting of Woburn Council, No. 774, American Legion of Honor, held June 18, 1886, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, it has pleased the Great Commander of the Universe to remove from our midst our late Companion, Lincoln Emerson, and

WHEREAS, in view of the loss we have sustained by the decease of our friend, and Companion, and of the still heavier loss sustained by her who was near and dear to him, therefore be it;

Resolved, that it is but a just tribute to the memory of the departed to say, that in regretting his removal from our midst we mourn for one who was in every way worthy of our respect and regard.

Resolved, that we sincerely condole with the widow of the deceased on the dispensation with which it has pleased Divine Providence to afflict her, and commend her for consolation to Him who orders all things for the best.

Resolved, that this heartfelt testimonial of our sympathy and sorrow be forwarded to the widow of our departed friend by the Secretary and spread upon the records of this council.

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We have about 50 Men's and Youths' Suits fine quality, and well made, which we have marked at prices ranging from $8 to $13. Former prices $12 to $18.

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No. 2. Shirred Seersucker Ginghams. New styles.

No. 3. Sateenes in beautiful shades and styles, just received from New York.

No. 4. Lace Rufflings in a great variety of styles.

No. 5. Tourists' Rufflings 15 and 25 cents per box.

No. 6. Lace Collars, 25 cts. to $1.00 each.

No. 7. Lace Caps, 25 cents to $2.00.

No. 8. Ladies' White Skirts, Hamburg trimmed, 50 cents.

No. 9. Bustles, 25 cents.

F. S. BURGESS,

AGENT FOR

LEWANDO'S FRENCH DYE HOUSE,

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All goods for the Dye House should be brought in by Tuesday evening.

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Mr. Dana J. Flanders, General Ticket and Passenger Agent of the Boston and Main Railroad Company, has recently issued a dainty pamphlet bearing the above title, for a copy of which we are indebted to his courtesy. The contents of the handsome publication are chiefly descriptive of the ocean and mountain scenery in New England pierced by the Eastern and Western Divisions of the Boston & Maine, which are profusely and beautifully illustrated with admirable engravings of sketches made by artists from nature. Correct and minute information concerning the Company's summer excursions to points of interest along the northern Atlantic coast and to and among the White Mountains, which stand in high favor with pleasure-seekers in all parts of the country, is given in the book. SEASHORE, LAKE AND MOUNTAIN is a beautiful hand-book of summer travel, and reflects great credit on Mr. Flanders and the enterprising Company which he represents in its passenger department.

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MEETINGS FOR NEXT WEEK.

UNITARIAN—Next Sunday will be observed as Children's Sunday. Mr. W. H. Baldwin President of the Young Men's Christian Union will address the children. Services will begin at 10.30 a. m.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m. General prayer meeting at 7 p. m. Usual Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7.45 p. m. Covenant meeting Friday evening at 7. 45 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL—Rev. Dr. Greene of Lowell will preach at 10.30 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. Preaching services by Dr. Greene. Preparatory lecture Wednesday evening. Prayer meeting Friday evening.

The Scandinavian Evangelical Society, Y. M. C. Rooms. Sunday, preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12 m. Praise meeting at 6.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Bible Reading, Friday at 7.30 p. m. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

Y. M. C. A.—Praise meeting at 4 o'clock. Boys' meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30. Scandinavian services Sunday at 10.30, Wednesday evening at 7.30. Reading Room open daily from 6.30 to 9.30 p. m., Wednesday excepted. Boys' Branch at 7.45 p. m., on Tuesdays. Sunday 9 a. m. Prayer meeting.

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In Woburn, June 17, by Rev. Daniel March, Edwin C. Miller of Woburn and Ada F. Jellison of Wilmington.

In Woburn, June 20, by Rev. Quealy, William D. Nolan and Mary J. Fallon, both of Woburn.

In Woburn, June 24, by Rev. D. D. Winn, Mr. Henry McMinn and Miss Jennie E. Kyle, both of Woburn.

In Wilmington, June 16, by Rev. Elijah Harmon, Frank W. Hobart of Quincy, and Adelle W. Butters of Wilmington.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Woburn, June 18, Sarah E. Taylor, aged 66 years, 8 months.

In Woburn, June 18, Miss Agnes Isabella, daughter of Robert and Mary Smith of Lowell, aged 35 years.

In Woburn, June 20, Patrick Kyle, aged 41 years, 3 months, 3 days.

In Woburn, June 21, Mabel A. Morgan, aged 19 years, 4 days.

In Boston, June 17, Mrs. Henrietta Leathe, wife of Henry Leathe, of St. Louis, Mo., formerly of Woburn, aged 55 years.



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WINCHESTER.

Mr. Albert Ayer went to Rhode Island last Monday for a visit.

The plans for the new Town House are completed, or very nearly so.

Marblehead Neck is where Mr. Rhodes and family will spend the summer. They are now there.

J. H. Tyler, Esq., has returned from a very pleasant trip to California. He has resumed his duties as Register of Probate.

Mr. Thomas Quigley has the contract to build the new street running from Church to Central. He will make a good one.

Chairman Brine, of the Democratic Town Commitee, was an honored guest at the dinner of the Bay State Club given at Parker's last week in honor of Gov. Hill of New York.

The Rev. Fritz W. Baldwin of Chelsea will occupy the pulpit of the Congregational church next Sunday morning. Mrs. E. Drake, a missionary from the West, will speak in the evening.

Last Saturday morning Mr. Henry Rolf, a large lumber merchant in Boston resident of this place, fell dead in the Boston & Lowell depot in the city of heart disease. He was a gentleman highly respected, and leaves a wife, two daughters and a large circle of friends to mourn his sudden death.

The lawn party held on the grounds of Mr. Charles F. Lunt, Mount Vernon street, last week Thursday, was a great success. It was given to raise funds with which to procure a fountain for the beautiful Common, and netted at least $75. It is proposed to erect a handsome fountain. The party was a delightful one.

As soon as the matter came to be understood a strong feeling in favor of the location of the North Woburn Street Railway developed itself in this town. At the time of the hearing but few knew much about it, and the remonstrants had it all their own way; but the feeling in favor of the road is now very strong. It will be a capital thing for Winchester.

Last week Thursday 10 grainers employed in Mr. J. R. Maxwell's factory went out because the proprietor demanded a different kind of work of them. He exacted no more work or less pay, but simply wanted it done his way. Subsequently 30 others left the shops. Mr. Maxwell gave them three days to consult with the Winchester Assembly, K. of L., and would have them understand that their services would be dispensed with unless a satisfactory settlement could be made. The Assembly ordered the strikers back, and everything is going on smoothly again at Maxwell's.

Under the auspices of the "Fortnightly" there will be two classes in carpentry formed for the vacation, in one of which only the nominal sum of five cents will be charged, and in the other the charge will be five dollars for the course. The tools, which belong to the "Fortnightly," will be loaned to either class, or pupils can bring their own if they prefer. The Committee having this in charge have secured the services, as teacher, of Mr. Emmons Hatch, who is well known in this community as a thorough and skilful workman. The number of each class will be limited to fifteen, as last winter, and the first applicants will secure the places. Application can be made at the room in Shattuck's Block, used last winter for Industrial purposes, from five to six P. M. on Saturday, June 28. A class in drawing and one in botany are in contemplation, and applications for either, or both, can be made at the same time and place. The Committee feel quite sure of securing a good teacher in each study. The expense for a course of twenty lessons in drawing will probably be three dollars, and for the same in botany, somewhat less.

Much danger makes great hearts resolute.

Baseball.

MONTVALE.

On the 17th of June the Woburn Baseball Club played the Montvales. The games was uninteresting, being too onesided, the Montvales playing a poor game with the exception of Callahan at short stop, who covered himself with glory, making a number of good stops and accurate throws. For the High Schools McSweeney pitched a good game, only one safe hit being made off him. Murdock, at third, played well, making one put-out and two assists in one inning. M. Cotton made a phenominal catch in the fourth inning retiring the side, the bases being full. The umpire gave perfect satisfaction. Following is the score:

HIGH SCHOOL.

	AB.	R.	BH.	TB.	PO.	A.	E.
McSweeney, p.	4	2	1	1	0	5	1
Larkin, 1b.	4	1	1	1	5	1	0
Littlefield, rf.	4	1	0	0	0	0	0
Murdock, 3b.	2	2	0	0	4	2	1
Sherburne, c.	4	0	1	1	5	2	1
Bland, ss.	4	2	2	3	3	2	2
Brigham, cf.	4	1	1	1	1	0	0
C. Cotton, 2b.	4	1	0	0	2	2	1
M. Cotton, lf.	4	2	1	3	1	0	1
Total,	34	12	7	10	21	14	7

MONTVALES.

	AB.	R.	BH.	TB.	PO.	A.	E.
Flynn, c. & lf.	4	1	1	1	0	0	0
Travass, p.	4	0	0	0	1	1	3
Callahan, ss.	4	1	0	0	1	3	1
Quinn, 1b.	4	0	0	0	10	0	2
Parks, 2b.	4	0	0	0	0	2	0
Hooper, lf. & c.	4	0	0	0	1	1	3
Poland, cf.	3	0	0	0	2	0	0
Doherty, 3b.	3	0	0	0	1	0	1
M. Mass, rf.	3	0	0	0	2	0	0
Total,	33	2	1	1	18	7	10

Score by inning,	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
W. H. S.	0	4	1	1	0	6	0	—12
Montvales,	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	— 2

Two-base hits—Bland. Three-base hits—M. Cotton. Passed balls—Hooper 3. Base on balls—Murdock 2. Poland struck out by McSweeney, 4. Umpire—Mr. H. E. Marion.

WINCHESTER.

The game on June 17th was won by the Suffolks of Boston, 11 to 5. The game was lost by errors at critical points by the home team and the failing to bat. The feature of the game was a running one-hand catch by Hurd who also made a great stop and prevented several runs. The score is a follows:

SUFFOLKS.

	AB.	R.	BH.	TB.	PO.	A.	E.
Symmes, lf.	3	2	1	1	0	0	0
Simons, rf.	3	1	1	1	1	0	0
Churchill, 1b.	4	0	0	0	5	2	3
McKenna, c.	4	2	0	0	9	2	4
Noon, ss.	3	2	0	0	0	2	1
Carey, p.	4	2	2	2	0	7	3
Newell, cf.	3	1	0	0	1	0	0
Collihan, 3b.	4	0	0	0	3	1	0
Preston, 2b.	3	1	1	1	2	1	3
Totals,	31	11	5	5	21	15	14

WINCHESTERS.

	AB.	R.	BH.	TB.	PO.	A.	E.
M. Goddu, 1b.	3	1	0	0	3	3	0
Peckham, c.	3	2	0	0	9	2	2
LeDuc, lf.	4	0	0	0	2	1	1
L. Goddu, cf.	3	0	0	0	2	0	2
Newhall, ss.	3	0	0	0	0	1	2
Cobb, 3b.	3	1	0	0	0	1	3
Hurd, p.	3	1	1	1	1	7	3
Wheeler, rf.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
French, 2b.	3	0	0	0	1	1	1
Totals,	28	5	1	1	18	16	18

Struck out by Hurd, 7. Carey 4. Base on balls—Suffolks 2, Winchesters 3. Passed balls—Peckham 1, McKenna 3. Bases stolen—Winchesters 6, Suffolks 2. Time of game—1 hour 30 minutes. Umpire—Charles Cobb.

The home team had a picnic last Saturday with the Byrons of Boston. The errors of Covell and Wheeler were very excusable. The batting honors were carried off by Covell, Purrington, Badger, Goddu and Peckham. The following is the score:

WINCHESTERS.

	AB.	R.	BH.	TB.	PO.	A.	E.
Wheeler, rf.	5	1	1	1	0	0	1
Covell, cf.	4	4	4	5	0	0	0
Peckham, c.	5	3	3	3	11	4	0
Hurd, p.	4	3	1	1	1	6	3
W. Cobb, 3b.	5	3	2	2	0	2	0
Purrington, lf.	6	3	4	4	2	1	0
Badger, ss.	6	3	3	4	1	3	0
M. Goddu, 2b.	5	3	3	3	1	1	0
French, 1b.	5	2	1	1	5	0	0
Totals,	45	25	21	24	21	17	5

BYRONS.

	AB.	R.	BH.	TB.	PO.	A.	E.
Kendall, p.	5	1	0	0	2	5	3
Foster, c. & ss.	3	0	0	0	4	3	4
Symmes, 1b.	4	1	1	1	12	2	2
Durant, 2b.	3	0	0	0	3	0	4
Folger, 3b.	2	0	0	0	0	3	3
Conant, ss. & c.	2	0	0	0	0	1	2
Foley, cf.	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Page, lf.	2	0	0	0	0	0	1
Cowdin, rf.	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Innings,	25	1	1	1	21	16	19
Winchesters,	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Byrons,	4	1	2	7	9	2	2—25
	1	0	0	0	0	0	0— 1

Earned runs—Winchesters 9. Two-base hits—Covell, Purrington, Badger. Struck out by Hurd, 9. Left on bases—Winchesters 6, Byrons 5. Passed balls—Foster 3. Bases stolen—Winchesters 12, Byrons 3. Time of game—2 hours, 15 minutes. Umpire—Charles Cobb.

MEDFORD.

Woburns visited Medford, June 17th and played a game of ball with the West Medfords. The game was witnessed by a large audience. The principal feature of the game was the pitching of Sweeney, who struck out 17 men. Mr. Surrett of Concord, acted as umpire. Time of game: 2 hours and 20 minutes.

WOBURNS.

	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
J. Darmody, c.	2	3	15	4	4
Sweeney, p.	2	2	5	19	4
G. Gustin, rf.	2	2	1	1	1
Bolan, 1b.	1	1	2	0	2
Larkin, cf.	1	1	3	0	0
Finn, ss.	4	3	1	0	0
Shields, 2b.	4	4	2	1	1
R. Darmody, 3b.	1	1	2	0	0
E. Gustin, lf.	1	3	0	0	0
	18	22	27	25	12

WEST MEDFORDS.

	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
Burns, 2b.	1	0	4	0	2
Thompson, c.	2	2	5	2	3
Peters, p.	0	0	3	3	0
Spellman, 1b.	0	1	1	2	2
Hall, rf.	1	0	1	0	0
Swett, cf.	0	0	2	0	0
Conway, 3b.	0	0	3	1	0
Powers, lf.	0	0	3	0	0
Richardson, ss.	3	1	4	2	2
	7	2	24	10	13

Innings,	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
West Medfords,	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	2	— 7
Woburns,	0	2	1	0	1	1	1	3	—	—18

Japanese Letters.

Boston Globe: "A reader of the *Globe* named Talbot sent me a box of 'Hak-ka' for Hay Fever. I have had seven years of sneezing, coughing, swearing, and this August it began more virulent than ever. I used Talbot's 'Hak-ka' three times, and although the fever was at the high tide of successful demoralization, I haven't sneezed but twice since, and that was two days ago. I don't know Talbot, I never saw Talbot; but he ought to become a millionnaire in one season." HOWARD.

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Milk Inspection.

Very few people, if any, will seriously contend that the office of Milk Inspector, as filled by Mr. Fred B. Leeds in this town, is not of real public benefit. Since its establishment the quality of milk has risen full 25 per cent in the aggregate, while that of a few dairymen has grown fifty per cent better in that time. From this statement it must not be inferred that the milkmen were dishonest before the law was enacted providing for the inspection of milk, for with rare exceptions such was not the case; if the milk was poor it was because the farmers had no means of testing it, rather than a too intimate acquaintance with the town pump. They could not determine the quality of the milk. The case is different now; the milk is subjected to scientific analysis at frequent intervals that cannot fail to accurately demonstrate its relative purity and value. The results are made known to the farmer, the knowledge sometimes costing rather dearly, and the matter is remedied at once. Better knowledge on the part of the milkmen derived from official inspection of the milk he sells by a careful and well-informed officer, coupled with a desire to comply with the provisions of law have improved the quality of that used by Woburn people to a very gratfying extent on the last two years. The farmers give the Inspector's office an approval as hearty as the consumers, because by it they are protected equally with the latter class. There are always to be found people who would find fault with their milk even if it was all cream. They never turn it out of the can without looking sharp for a horupout or bullfrog, and under the old regime the seller had no way of convincing these suspicious creatures that he was not cheating them. Under the plan of public inspection all he has to do is to refer them to the Inspector.

At 5 or half past 5 o'clock on two or three mornings in the week Inspector Leeds sallies out with his team and driver, armed with a number of half-pint tin cans, attached to the handles of which are blank labels, and strikes the milkmen. He is entirely impartial and strictly conscientious in making his calls. The milk carts as well as stores and houses all over the town where the liquid is sold are visited and samples obtained. The samples are poured into his half-pint cans, labelled and taken to his labratory. Here they are analyzed and their quality accurately ascertained. Each specimen of the lacteal fluid is first subjected to a test by the commoh lactometer, which is of no real value in making the experiment, and is used as a matter of form only. The confidence of some milkmen in this instrument has cost them stiff fines with fees attached. The real test is made by fire. After the samples are all gathered in Inspector Leeds spends hours over his lamps, phials, tubes, etc., before results are secured. The water is first evaporated; then the oils are removed; finally the solids are obtained, and the exact quality of the milk is found.

The process of analyzing the milk would be better understood and appreciated by watching the work than by a written description, therefore will not attempt one. It is proper to state however that the test is scientifically correct, and the results are always entirely trustworthy. By no other process than that adopted by our Woburn Inspector can perfectly reliable conclusions as to the comparative value of the milk be reached. Mr. Leeds is thorough in doing this work, conscientious, independent, and the upshot is, we all have much better milk than we did before the Inspector's office was established here.

St. John's School.

The commencement exercises of St. John's School, taught by the Sisters of Notre Dame, were held in St. John's Institute yesterday, and were very interesting. Some four hundred pupils participated in the musical and literary exercises who, all dressed in white with sashes of blue and red, made a beautiful appearance.

The musical programme consisted of duets and choruses by the scholars accompanied by the piano, marches, songs, hymns, etc. which were interspersed with recitations, compositions, addresses and other literary parts. The children acquitted themselves very handsomely indeed and did great credit to the intelligent training of their large corps of excellent teachers. The choruses by the hundreds of juvenile voices were very fine and highly enjoyed by a large audience.

The spacious school hall was beautifully decorated with flowers, plants, ferns, mottoes and wreathes. On the window-ledges, the platforms, from chandeliers and along the walls were beautiful decorations, and stands of rare flowers and plants stood by the seats of the visiting clergymen.

The teachers preserved perfect order, which was not an easy task with so many young and lively children on their hands. Rev. Fr. McDonnell called the names of those to whom medals and premiums were awarded which was a very interesting part of the programme to the fortunate recipients.

Besides the many parents and friends of the school present, Fr. M. D. Murphy of Hopkinton, Frs. Haley and O'Farrell of Stoneham, and Fr. Burke of Winchester, were interested and highly gratified spectators. The exercises closed about noon with the most entertaining part of the exhibition.

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of the day." C. E. Upton, Nashua, N. H., writes: "For a number of years I was troubled with a humor in my eyes, and unable to obtain relief until I commenced using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I have taken several bottles, am greatly benefited, and believe it to be the best of blood purifiers." R. Harris, Creel City, Ramsey Co., Dakota, writes: "I have been an intense sufferer, with Dyspepsia, for the past three years. Six months ago I began to use

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NOTICE.

The Annual Meeting of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank Corporation will be held at the Banking Rooms, on **Friday, July 2d, 1886,** at 7.30 o'clock, P. M., for the choice of officers for the ensuing year, and any other business that may legally come before said corporation.

The Quarterly meeting of the Trustees will be held immediately after the corporation meeting.

E. E. THOMPSON, Clerk.

Woburn, June 23, 1886.

P. S.—Money deposited on or before Saturday, July 10, 1886, will draw interest from July 1. Dividends payable on and after Monday, July 12, 1886.

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BURLINGTON.

Mrs. W. H. Walker is enjoying a visit in Maine.

Mrs. J. F. Rice has returned from a pleasant trip to Vermont.

The public examinations of the schools occur on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday of this week.

Dr. C. E. Esterbrook spent last Sunday in town. His friends in Burlington are glad to learn of his good health and prosperity.

Miss Florence Rice will spend the summer at Clarendon Springs, Vt., where she has been engaged as pianist at one of the principal hotels.

Children's Sunday will be celebrated, at the church, July 4. On account of sickness, the exercises have been postponed until that time. Last Sunday, by a misunderstanding, the church was decorated. The children brought many bouquets of flowers and Mr. Charles H. Walker contributed a beautiful anchor of white alyssum.

Town of Woburn.

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—OF—

REAL ESTATE FOR NON-PAYMENT OF TAXES.

In conformity with the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the owners and occupants of the following described parcels of Real Estate, situated in the Town of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes on each of said parcels assessed for the year 1885, according to the list committed to me, as Collector of Taxes of said Woburn by the Assessors of taxes of said Woburn, for said year, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered at public auction for sale by the Collector of said Woburn, at the office of the Collector, No. 172 Main street, Woburn, on THURSDAY, July 29, 1886, at 2 o'clock, P. M., for the payment of said taxes, together with interest from October 15, 1885, and the lawful cost and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

RESIDENTS.

THOMAS MADDEN.—A certain parcel of land and building thereon, containing about 1 acre, situate on the southerly side of Cummings street, in that part of Woburn known as Cummingsville, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by said Cummings street; southerly, by land of Sewall Taylor; westerly, by land of John A. Doherty, and easterly by land of Ann Gallagher.

Tax of 1885, $7 98

JOHN MALOY.—A certain parcel of land, with the building thereon, containing about ½ of an acre, situate on Elijah street, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by land of Patrick Hickey; westerly, by land now or formerly of John Winn; easterly by land of James T. Connolle, and southerly by land formerly of John Taffe and said Elijah street.

Tax of 1885, $15 96

JOHN MARTIN.—A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, containing about one acre, situated on the westerly side of Shield street, in that part of Woburn known as Cummingsville, and bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by land of Dennis Shields; easterly, by land of heirs of Mary Armstrong; southerly, by Bedford street, and westerly by said Shield street.

Tax of 1885, $16 80

MICHAEL MCCARROM.—A certain parcel of land, containing about 22,725 square feet, with the buildings thereon, situate on the easterly side of Elijah street, in that part of Woburn known as Cummingsville, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by land of Bernard Reddy; westerly by land of John Bowen; southerly by land of Roger Mullen, and westerly by said Elijah street.

Tax of 1885, $11 76

JOHN BOWEN.—A certain parcel of land, containing about one acre, situate on the northerly side of Bedford street, in that of Woburn known as Cummingsville, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly, by said Bedford street; easterly, by Shield street; northerly by land of Dennis Shields; and westerly partly by land of one Ryan, and partly by land of McCarrom and owners unknown.

Tax of 1885. $20 16

CHARLES BUSH.—A certain parcel of land, containing about 1 acre, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by land of William Ward; westerly, by land of John B. Smith and land of Francis Hammond; southerly, by land of Michael Meegan; easterly, by land of Parker L. Converse, Trustee, and Marah B. Winn.

Tax of 1885, $3 36

MICHAEL CALLAHAN (heirs).—A certain parcel of land, with the building thereon, containing about ¼ of an acre, situate on the northerly side of Harrison Avenue, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly, by Harrison Avenue; easterly by land of Bartholomew McDonough; westerly by Grove street; northerly by land of Bernard McDonough and land of Andrew Granfield.

Tax of 1885, $20 16

PATRICK CULLEN.—A certain parcel of land, containing about 4,290 square feet, and building thereon, situate on the northerly side of Everett street, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by land of Jane Moore; easterly by land of Patrick Keating; southerly by land of heirs of Philip Teare and said Everett street, and westerly by land of Joseph G. Giroux.

Tax of 1885, $19 32

ANNIE J. DEARBORN.—A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, containing about one acre, situate on the westerly side of Washington street, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly, by said Washington street; southerly, by land of Hiel J. Nelson; westerly, by other land of said Dearborn, and northerly by land of Josephine Pierce.

Tax 1885, $22 68

Also, another lot containing about 8 acres of mowing land, adjoining the last above described parcel of land, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly, by other land of said Dearborn; southerly, by land of Hiel J. Nelson; westerly, by other land of said Dearborn, and northerly by land of Josephine Pierce.

Tax of 1885, $18 48

WALTER FOWLE (heirs).—A certain parcel of tillage land, and buildings thereon, containing about 2½ acres, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by land now or formerly of G. W. Dennis; easterly by other land of said Fowle heirs; westerly, by Washington street; southerly partly by, Salem street and land of Martin Hayward.

Tax of 1885, $34 44

Also another lot, containing about 14 acres pasture land, situate on southerly side of Salem street, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by said Salem street; easterly, by land of Martin Hayward, southerly, by other land of said Fowle heirs, and westerly by land of George A. Wellman.

Tax of 1885, $11 76

Also another lot, containing about 7 acres of woodland, bounded as follows viz:—Northerly, by other land of said Fowle heirs; southerly, by land of heirs of John Frye and John Thompson; westerly, by land of Martin Hayward, and easterly by land of George A. Wellman.

Tax of 1885, $18 48

MICHAEL HARKINS.—A certain parcel of land, containing about one acre, situate on the easterly side of Rock street, bounded as follows viz.:—Westerly, by said Rock street; northerly, by land formerly of Michael Doherty and Neal Lafferty; easterly, by land of Elizabeth Keenan and heirs of James Houghton, and southerly, by land of William Callahan.

Tax of 1885, $5 04

PATRICK HARKINS.—A certain parcel of land containing about ½ acre, situate on the westerly side of Houghton street bounded as follows viz:—Easterly, by said Houghton street; northerly by land of heirs of James Houghton; southerly by a private way, and westerly by land of James Bouvaird.

Tax of 1885, $11 76

MARCIA M. FLAGG.—A certain parcel of land, containing about ¼ of an acre, with the buildings thereon, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly, by land of Gawin R. Gage; northerly, by land of said Gage and land of G. W. M. Hall; westerly, by land of Mary Bacon, and southerly by land of J. G. Flagg.

Tax of 1885, $30 24

PATRICK RAFFERTY.—A certain parcel of land, containing about 11,200 square feet, situate on Henshaw street, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by land of the Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation; easterly, by the Abajona River; southerly, by other land of said Rafferty, and westerly by said Henshaw street.

Tax of 1885, $15 12

EDWARD ROONEY.—A certain parcel of land, containing about one-quarter of an acre, situated on the southerly side of Richardson street, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by said Richardson St.; easterly, by land of heirs of John Hodge; southerly, by land of the Town of Woburn, and westerly by Canal street.

Tax of 1885, $19 32

MICHAEL RYAN.—A certain parcel of land, containing about 5.16 of an acre, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by land of Bryant & King; southerly, by Belmont street; easterly and westerly by land of owners unknown.

Tax of 1885, $10 80

J. H. STEVENS (heirs).—A certain parcel of land, containing about 9.16 of an acre, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by land now or formerly of Henry Cummings; easterly, by Burlington street; westerly by Willow street, and southerly by land of James Maguire.

Tax of 1885, $25 20

CHARLES E. TAYLOR.—About 5.16 of an acre of land, and buildings thereon, situate on the easterly side of Burlington street, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by land of John A. Doherty and land of Thomas Madden; easterly, by land of Ann Doherty; southerly, by Sheridan street, and westerly by said Burlington street.

Tax of 1885, $21 84

Also, another lot of land, containing about 2 acres, situated on the westerly side of Burlington street, bounded as follows, viz: Northerly, by other land of said Taylor; easterly, by said Burlington street; southerly by land of Abby A. Spaulding and John Thornton, and westerly by land now or formerly of one Merriam.

Tax of 1885, $10 08

PATRICK SMITH.—About 1.16 acre of land, and buildings, situated on westerly side of Spring street, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by land now or formerly of James Begley; easterly, by said Spring street; southerly, by land of Maria Trull, and westerly by land of John Smith.

Tax of 1885, $21 00

MICHAEL K. MURPHY.—About 1¼ acres of land, situated on the easterly side of New Boston street, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by land of Moses W. Sleeper; easterly, by land of Robert W. Parker; southerly, by land of said Rober W. Parker, and land of Mary A. Horrigan and westerly, by said New Boston street.

Tax of 1885 $36 12

NEIL P. MCLAUGHLIN.—About ¼ acres of land, situated on southerly side of Bedford street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by land of John Doherty; southerly, by land of heirs of Anthony Doherty; westerly, by land now or formerly of Stephen Dow, and northerly by said Bedford street.

Tax of 1885 $21 00

BRIDGET MCCARTHY.—About ¼ of an acre of land, situate on southerly side of Richardson street, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by said Richardson street; westerly, by Buck street; southerly by land now or formerly of Timothy Sheehan, and easterly by land of Hugh O'Reilly.

Tax of 1885, $39 06

NON-RESIDENTS.

A. S. MACK (heirs).—A certain parcel of land, containing about 29,200 square feet, and being lots 34, 35, 36 and 37 on a plan of house-lots owned by Daniel West, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 573, Page 573, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly, by lot No. 33 on said Plan, there measuring 134 feet; northerly, by lot No. 38 on said Plan, there measuring 138 feet; easterly, by a private way leading southerly out of Salem street, laid out on said Plan and called West street, there measuring 200 feet; and westerly by land now or formerly of Nathaniel McCrellis, there measuring 200 feet.

Tax of 1885, $6 82

MARK W. CROSS.—A certain parcel of land, containing about 6,521 square feet, and being a part of lot No. 10 on a plan of house-lots owned by Daniel Ayer, known as the Emerson lots, which plan is recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 5, Plan No. 25, bounded and described as follows, viz:—Northerly, by lot No. 9 on said Plan, there measuring 62 feet; easterly by land of the Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation, there measuring 97 feet; southerly by a private street not shown on said plan, but taken off said lot No. 10, there measuring 76 feet; westerly, by part of said lot No. 10, there measuring 93 feet, being the premises conveyed to said Cross by deed of Winslow S. Kyle, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1484, Page 275.

Tax of 1885, $2 56

CALEB F. CALLER.—A certain parcel of land, containing about 60,516 square feet, being lot No. 13 on a plan of lands owned by Daniel Ayer, known as the Emerson lots, recorded in Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 5, Plan 25, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by lot No. 12 on said plan, there measuring 302 feet; southerly, by lot No. 14 on said plan, there measuring 329 feet; easterly, by land of the Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation, there measuring 201 feet; and westerly, by Beacon street, so-called, there measuring 198½ feet.

Tax of 1885, $3 36

THOMAS J. WHITTRIDGE.—A certain parcel of land, containing about 6,000 square feet, and being lot No. 39 on a plan of lands owned by Daniel West, known as West lots, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 573, Page 575, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by lot No. 40 on said plan, there measuring 130 feet; southerly, by lot No. 88 on said plan, there measuring 134 feet; easterly, by a private way laid out on said plan and known as West street, there measuring 50 feet; westerly by land now or formerly of Nathaniel McCrellis, there measuring 50 feet.

Tax of 1885, $2 52

B. F. ROBINSON.—A certain parcel of land, containing about 31,274 square feet, being lot No. 11 on a plan of lands owned by Daniel Ayer, known as Emerson lots, recorded with Book of Plans No. 5, Plan No. 25, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly, by lot No. 10 on said plan, there measuring 243 feet; southerly, by lot No. 12 on said plan, there measuring 259 feet; easterly, by the Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation, there measuring 125 feet; and westerly, by private way laid out on said plan, called Beacon street, there measuring 125 feet.

Tax of 1885, $5 04

JOHN G. MAGUIRE,
Collector of Taxes.

TOWN OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.
173 Main Street.

Woburn, June 24, 1886.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that PIERCE F. MURRAY has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer of the first-class, at building standing on land of Peter H. Murray on the northerly side of Montvale Avenue, in said Woburn, in two rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. The land on which said building stands is bounded southerly by said Montvale Avenue, and on

VIOLETS.

Violets, dainty and sweet,
Born of the dews and the May;
Not in the dust and the heat
I leave you to perish to-day.

Nay, in the loveliest state,
Proud shall you go to your rest,
Kings could but envy your fate,
Dying to-night on her breast.
—E. D. Pierson, in Life.

SUPERSTITIONS THAT ARE POPULAR.

Favorite Notions Which Are Encouraged in Secret—A Brief List.

It is very wise to set our faces against superstitions, but who in his secret heart does not encourage a favorite one? I never met the person who did not.

There are many people who hate to see the new moon over the left shoulder; if they do, "somehow something always goes wrong," they declare. They do not believe such things, of course; but so it is.

Another can not endure a stranger who parts him from a companion with whom he is walking in the street; others will not raise umbrellas over their heads in the house, and there are men who turn pale if they spill salt.

A dry goods merchant of great wealth believed that his fortune would depart when he ceased to patronize an old apple woman on a certain corner, and there are many who would fear for their lives if they lost a certain trinket or jewel.

It is said that the mother of the Rothschilds always lived in her queer little house, in a crooked street, "to keep her sons their luck." Every morning servants took her to their splendid houses in a sedan chair, but she is always slept in the house where they were born.

Most people have a special dream that forebodes evil; and I know many who declare that it is a fact that one who boasts of being "so very well" to-day, finds himself ill on the morrow. There may be some good reason for this, it actually happens so often.

To tumble upstairs is supposed to postpone a wedding. "You'll not be married this year," cries some one. And to turn back three times is regarded by many as a warning to remain at home.

Terror seizes a bride's heart if it rains on her wedding morn, and to wear the marriage ring for a moment before it is put on for good is believed to bring ill-luck indeed.

As for an opal—the prettiest stone possible, though a very minor jewel—I confess to being superstitious about that. It is the silliest fancy in the world, but I would not put one on my finger for anything. Its baleful way of changing from red or blue to stone color is fiendish, and its fire, that glows and grows dim by turns, is uncanny.

I believe a superstition or two to be natural to every human being as are those little sparks of vanity which we refuse to acknowledge, but which, after all, help to keep us alive.—New York Ledger.

Latent Force in the Human System.

The latent force in the human system is a great study. Every man has such a reserve capital, and it is always used unless a man is instantly killed. Sometimes it is used piecemeal, as it were, as in the cases of persons who use alcoholic stimulants regularly. I am a believer in the use of stimulants—I believe there are times when they tide a man over tasks, etc., when without their use it would be impossible to overcome them. But those times are infrequent, and I do not believe in the use of stimulants otherwise, as it rapidly exhausts this latent force, and when the time comes that a man needs it, it is gone. Take a man who drinks regularly, and he may as well give up. That is the only way we take alcoholic stimulants, but with other nationalities it is different. For instance, the Frenchman. He takes his wine at his meals. It draws from his latent force, but it adds to it in assisting digestion and in increasing his appetite for food. Still, it is not the latent force that nature gave him, and he is better off without it. —Dr. J. C. Webster.

A Girl 77 Years Old.

A case which is receiving much attention from the medical profession was reported recently to Coroner Messemer. In the death itself of Miss Caroline Terboss there was nothing remarkable. She died of nephritis, and the coroner would not have been called upon to take cognizance of the matter had a physician been present within twenty-four hours of the death. The peculiar circumstances of the case are wholly physical. Miss Terboss was 77 years of age, but soon after her 11th birthday all development ceased, and to the hour of her death she remained in form, stature and organization a child. Cases of this kind have been recorded, though they are very few. None, however, have attained the age of Miss Terboss, death usually occurring before 21. Twenty-five years of age is the extreme limit. Miss Terboss was only four feet four inches in hight. She was remarkably quick intellectually, and enjoyed good health. The case will be reported on in full in the medical journals.—Detroit Free Press.

Tobacco Blindness Becoming Frequent.

The anti-tobacco people ought to have their attention called to the fact that "tobacco-blindness" is becoming quite a common affliction. At present there are several persons being treated for it at one London hospital. It first takes the form of "color-blindness;" the sufferers who have smoked themselves into this condition being quite unable to distinguish the color of a piece of red cloth held up before them. That is the popular medical test, though there is also a more scientific one. Eventually the victim to "tobocco-blindness" sometimes loses his eyesight altogether. Although smoking is to a large extent the cause of the malady, and so gives it its name, heavy drinking is also partly responsible. Unless the smoking and drinking go together, the "tobacco blindness" is not serious. A proof of this is, that if a doctor has a case of it in hand, he always insists on abstinence, when, as a rule, the sufferer gradually regains his sight.—St. James' Gazette.

Never Give Up.

If you are suffering with low and depressed spirits, loss of appetite, general debility, disordered blood, weak constitution, headache, or any disease of a billious nature, by all means procure a bottle of Electric Bitters. You will be surprised to see the rapid improvement that will follow; you will be inspired with new life; strength and activit will return; pain and misery will cease, any henceforward you will rejoice in the praisd of Electric Bitters. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by Wm. W. Hill opp. the Common.

"Are you going to have a picnic this year?" inquired a youngster of his Sunday school teacher. "Why, what do you want of a picnic?" "Nothing much; but I can get two new scholars in a hurry if you are going to have one."

Avoid, by all means, the use of calemel for billous complaints. Ayer's Cathartic Pills, entirely vegetable, have been tested forty years, and are acknowledged to be the best remedy for torpidity of the liver, costiveness, and all derangements of the digestive apparatus.

FEDERAL ARMY OF MEXICO.

An Easy Method of Raising Troops—Discipline—Unique Life in Camp.

Officially the Mexican army consists of 10,500 infantry, with 722 officers; nine regiments of cavalry, 4,176 men and 578 officers, and five batteries of artillery 1,017 men and 180 officers. Then there are 1,692 rural guards with 150 officers, and finally the coast guards, where there are 22 officers to 71 men. In addition there are state military columns, a kind of militia called out to fight Indians by the jefe politico of their districts—an officer who combines in his person the functions of a sheriff and a police judge. Exclusive of this militia the total military strength of the Mexican republic is 1,592 officers and 17,456 men.

"When there is any need for an army Mexico has at once, say, half a dozen. They grow of themselves, disband without being mustered out, and each fights for itself and often with itself. Iturbide is reported to have said that the individual Mexican was a thief; that in a gang of ten he was a guerrilla, and that 200 guerrillas made a Mexican army. Though this may not be universally true, it is true in part. Every man who has the courage to 'pronounce' must commence by being a thief, and under the present 'enlightened' government of Diaz men are daily sentenced to service in the regular army as a punishment for crime. The man who 'pronounces' against established order gets together a handful of guerrillas and descends on the nearest rich hacienda and demands a 'prestamo' —forced loan—which is followed by a 'lleva,' or draft of the best peons on the estate. He then retires to the mountains to organize and drill his men. With the stolen money—for a 'prestamo' is never repaid—he arms his force and in a week or two has quite as respectable a crowd as the government can send against him.

"The cavalry is the principal arm of the Mexican service, and though the horses would excite the smiles of an American cavalryman, they are well adapted to a country were grain is not over plenty, and endurance and not speed or weight are considerations. The mounts are mainly mountain ponies, and usually, except in the large cities, unshod. The uniform for all ranks is much the same, consisting of a blouse of dark-blue, pants of the same, and red facings. Of course the cavalry pants are served with leather. The kepi is much the same as our own, but not so high, and there is an absurd attempt to give to the Mexican private a kind of Germanic air. The fatigue uniform consist of a dirty canvas blouse and pants. Boots are not considered essential in the infantry, and are only known to crack regiments. The favored corps, even, which possesses them never wear them on the march. A piece of old leather strapped to the foot by rawhide thongs to protect the feet from sharp stones and sharper cacti suffices for any private.

"The Mexican soldiers are armed with Remington rifles and carbines of the 50-caliber model, the barrels of which, after the absurd French fashion, are kept bright instead of being browned. On the butt of each gun a dirty piece of paper contains the name and number of the private to whom it belongs. Not one in a hundred privates can read, but they get use to the form of their name, as a kind of object-lesson. Arms are very valuable in Mexico, and to sell them is a crime for which the soldier is rewarded with a sound flogging. When arms were missed and the real culprit could not be found, captains have been known to flog the entire company. This plan of making every man his brother's keeper is said to work well. Of discipline as we understand it in the American army there is really none. The soldier never goes through a course of 'setting-up,' and consequently lounges around the streets with shambling feet and downcast head, like the poor Aztec Indian, slave and criminal that he is. Drill is a humbug, and except in a few cavalry regiments seldom or ever takes place, and punishments are as unjust as they are severe.

"In his camp life, as in everything else, the Mexican soldier is unique. Each man has a woman, who follows his fortunes, cooks for him, washes for him, and shares without complaint his hard fortune. On his pay, which is only about 24 cents a day, both live; and, as a Mexican receives no regular ration, the cuisine is of the most primitive character. On the march, these women, riding on burros a la cavalier, head the column, and in a few minutes after a halt is called, each will be busy with the tortillas, or tamales, or, in flush times, with an olla podrida of meat, chile, and garlic cooked in a small earthenware pan for the delectation of her lord and master. Those women are, of course, lost to virtue, but are faithful to a degree to their 'companeros.' Mexican soldiers have no tents, that luxury being confined to the superior officers, and few have any blankets except their 'sarapes' to sleep in. Even in barracks this is the case. The men lie down and sleep where and when they can, often on the cobblestones of the court yard.—Chicago News Interview.

Dirty Clothes and Clean Faces.

The artist J. G. Brown, to whom I have before alluded as the Raphael of the newsboys, was a witness a day or two ago in a suit at law. After he had given his testmony the genial artist was somewhat astonished to hear the judge inquire in a matter of fact way, as if he were taking up the examination where counsel had left it, "Are you the Mr. Brown who paints the picture of street gamins?" Mr. Brown bowed assent. "Well," continued the judge, "there is something I have long wanted to know. I have noticed that your boys have phenomenally dirty clothes and phenomenally clean faces, which is contrary to my experience, and I want to ask you why you represent them so."

"Oh," said the artist, "the answer to that is easy. I can not sell pictures of boys with dirty faces; folks won't have them, and you know I must sell my pictures."—Cor. Cleveland Leader.

In the good old Spanish days bull fights cost about $15,000.

How Often

We see some young man who has squandered his money and ruined his health by excesses, and before 30 years of age is an all broken down and played out man! In all such cases I prescribe nature's tonic and nervine, Sulphur Bitters. They supply food for the brain, strengthen the nerves, and are successful in nine cases out of ten.—*Old Physician.*

An effective manner of trimming canvas is to draw the threads and work a simple design with a few stitches somewhat in the manner of linen work. A lining of lighter color should be laid under the open work; the accessories should correspond in color to this lining.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla operates radically upon and through the blood, and is a safe and absolute cure for the various diseases, complaints, and disorders, due to debility, or to any constitutional taint or infection.

Any one who is quick at repartee must necessarily have a great response ability.

The Woods of South America.

The woods of South America are of world-wide fame. Steaming up the Parana, with a cargo of furniture and utensils manufactured in New England, one is surprised to meet a ship loaded with the hard native woods so coveted in our northern cities, going 7,000 or 8,000 miles to the New England factories, whence it will return to the parlors and homes of Buenos Ayres and Montevideo. Or if your steamer is laden with French wines and brandies, it seems comical to anchor by the side of a vessel taking a cargo of quebrahco wood, shipped to France to be ground up and manufactured into French wine and French brandy. More than 50,000 tons a year are shipped for this purpose. This wood is worth $8 per ton at the river bank and $14 in Buenos Ayres.

Five thousand men are now employed in getting out this wood for the wine factories and railroad ties. This wood is very hard. Its name means "ax-breaker." It is very heavy. It will not float in water. It is very enduring. Posts of quebracho set in the ground to form the sides of houses in the days of the Incas, before the coming of the Spaniards 350 years ago, are as sound to-day as when they were first placed there. We are familiar in North America with many of these woods—mahoganies, walnuts, cedars, etc. When we have better means of communication we shall become acquainted with many more of these valuable South American woods.—Bishop Fowler's Letter.

Four Kinds of Irish Harps.

The Irish possessed four kinds of harps —the Clarsech, or common harp; the Ceirnin, or small religious harp; the Ciunard, Cruit, or high-headed harp; and the Crom Cruit, or down bending harp. The first was that used by the bards and harpers, and is the Irish harp properly so called; the second, more exclusively clerical, probably accompanied Druidical as later Christian hymns. "Perhaps," says Walker, (ut supra) "this instrument was sacred to Karneios, or Apollo, [when Granneus, an Irish name for our favorite Deity] and borne by the dancers at the Kearnaire, or sacrifice to that Diety. [Vallancey, 'Collect, de rebus Hib.'] In Arabic, Keren implies the rays of the sun, with which the poet tells us Apollo's lute was always strung."

The Clunard Cruit and Crom Cruit, though styled harps, were more strictly of the violin and guitar types; indeed, they may be considered the parents of those instruments. The former had ten strings and was played on with a plectrum, or bow; the latter possessed six strings, two of which were touched with the thumb. Bunting (loc. cit.) adds two other harps to the four given by Walker and commonly referred to—the Craiftin's Cruit, a name derived from an Irish legendary hero, and the Lub, a poetical name of the harp.—English Magzine.

The Endurance of the Turcoman.

It has been stated that the flower of Turcoman chivalry, if we may call it such, perished neck and crop at Geok Tepe; but the fibre is left. What is bred in the bone will come out in the flesh, and a young race of desert warriors would be formidable antagonists indeed. These are no white-livered, slavery-cowed, conquest-smitten wrecks of manhood, such as sop rice in, India, or digest lentels by the Nile, but fierce, daring warriors, inured to the dangers of flood and field from the cradle to the grave.

Than the men of Dantli Col. Stewart "never saw finer specimens of humanity." Their horses can perform wonderful feats of endurance. He heard of some covering 100 miles in twenty-four hours, carrying rider, body clothing, and everything. The Turcoman himself habitually sleeps on the snow with only a poshtin or long sheepskin coat on. What chance would Bengal lancers have against a troop of such cavalry? In forty-eight hours they could strike from the proposed terminus of the Caspian line to Herat, and in half that time they could march to it from the Bolan Pass.—British Quarterly Review.

Gambling Among the Crow Indians.

The Crow tribe with hardly a single exception are inveterate gamblers. Their greatest delight, however, is in horse racing, of which hardy little animals they possess perhaps the finest herd on the North American continent. Anyone visiting the Crow village in midsummer on almost any day can see the young embryo warriors mounted on fiery little bronchos galloping like mad across the prairie. These young red rascals are the most hardy and fearless riders that can possibly be imagined. Hanging by one leg and one arm over the side of an unbroken animal you might say, with neither halter, bridle nor saddle, and completely hidden from an enemy, they ride and shoot accurately in that position, just as well as any white man could do under the most favorable circumstances.—Montana Cor. Cleveland Leader.

A Dentist and His Instruments.

A dentist can not be too careful how he handles his instruments; they come into contact with all kinds of diseased bone and tissue, and there is considerable danger of being inoculated from them. I knew a very bright young fellow who became afflicted with what he feared was a cancer of the mouth. He went around with his face tied up for a month or two, but finally got well, and the fact developed that he had contracted the trouble by once putting a plugger between his teeth when very busy. An old timer is always careful in handling his instruments, and never lets the points touch his fingers. A patient owes it to himself to see that every piece of steel that touches his mouth is perfectly clean and bright before the work begins.—Dr. Taft in Globe-Democrat.

Not Enough History for the Dome.

The historical fresco in the dome of the capitol at Washington has stopped—not for lack of dome or paint, but because there is not history enough to go around, and there is demand for a smaller dome or more history.—Exchange.

The English suggest that the penny stamp be perforated in order that half can be used.

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Faille and crepe de chine are combined for costumes. The crepe may be brocaded or plain according to the taste of the wearer.

Three Books of a Kind.

I have "taken no stock" in the various suggestions as to the 100 books which everybody should read, because I hold that any human being who proposes to peruse the 100 best works which go to make a well-informed man will read to little purpose if he have not sense enough to find out for himself what they should be. This finding out is the best part of an education, and you can no more make a really well-read man than you can a genius by telling him what to do. A good rule is, whenever you read a book, on any subject whatever, take notes from it or copy a few striking passages in a commonplace book. Then, if it be possible, look up at the same time other books, or magazine articles, etc., on the same subject.

This reading books in groups impresses the contents on the memory to a remarkable degree. Three books of a kind read together at once will reach more and leave more in the mind, and cause you to think more, than thirty of the same sort would perused at scattered intervals. And if from time to time the reader will glance through his note-books he will revive and preserve more in his memory than he would have deemed possible. This is a very fascinating method of reading—it gives to it all the zest of collecting. Of late this and that learned man have begun to point at what we ought to read—novels, etc.—till one begins to realize how people become learned in China. The first step in reading is or should be thinking.—Charles G. Leland.

System of Education in Persia.

The Persian empire has no system of popular education; and the only education of any note is that conferred in the king's college. The king's college is near the shama al amara. It consist of a series of stalls, which may be called rooms, arranged on the four sides of the A cout, and one story high. Students do net lodge in the building, but receive one meal a day in the college, two suits of clothes per annum and an allowance in money of from 13 to 30 tomans, according to the proficiency of the pupil in the studies of the course. The number of students in attendance it usually about 250.

Several of the professors are Europeans, and the text-books are translated from the French. The studies pursued, besides primary branches, are advanced mathematics, languages, military tactics and music. The languages studied are Arabic, French, English and Russian. Engineering, telegraphy and painting are also taught. All the students are subject to the orders of the government as to their future occupation. The student may, however, select the department of his service, with the approval of the raiese, or superintendent of the college.—Land of the Imams.

Facts Concerning Giant Powder.

The popular idea is, and I see all the papers fall into the error of asserting, that it is exploded by ordinary concussion. That is not true. A giant powder cartridge can not be exploded except by a fuse igniting a cap filled with fulminate of mercury. The burning fuse ignites the mercury that explodes with sharp impact, and that sets off the cartridge. A man might take a hammer and strike as hard a blow as he can on a giant powder cartridge but it would not go off. But let a cap containing a dram of fulminate explode within a cartridge, and away she goes. The popular idea that this stuff is dangerous to handle is also wrong. It is a good deal safer than gunpowder, for it will not go off by sudden contact with fire. In the mines of Nevada I have seen giant powder cartridges placed on hot stoves to thaw out. True, I never quite trusted the stuff, and when the process was going on usually gave it wide berth, but the miners soon learned to handle it with the same disregard of consequences as they would tallow candles. The one great precaution miners observe is to keep the giant powder and the caps to explode it as far apart as possible.—Cor. Chicago Herald.

Some Good Advice to Invalids.

There are two great classes of invalids; those too far gone to get well anyhow, and those who merely need rest, fresh air and a change of climate to recover. For the former there is no place like home; for the latter the place to go is where they will meet, jolly, healthy people and see a variety of movement in life and business. Go to San Antonio, Texas, where the air is bracing and there is a racy flavor of frontier and frontier life. Go to Utah, where the odd society, mines, mountains and salt lakes will drive disease out of your mind. Go to middle and southern California and enjoy the change of vegetation and the odd panorama of mountains, clouds and ocean. Or go almost anywhere on the eastern slope of the Alleghanies, from Cumberland, Md., to Tuscaloose, Ala.—a region in which the white race has developed more virile force than anywhere else in the world. Or if you come to Florida avoid the stereotyped "invalid's resort." It will go far to make you sick if you are well, or to make you worse if you are sick.—"Parke" in Chicago Times.

Gold Found Near Constantinople.

The recent assay of gold found near Constantinople shows that the gold is disseminated in very small pieces here and there throughout a quartz and earthy matrix. The ore comes from mines which have not been worked for several centuries, and were thought to be exhausted of gold. The assay, both by dry and wet methods, of a carefully selected sample, gave three ounces fourteen pennyweights of gold per ton of ore. The gold in the ore contains iron and copper and a very small portion of silver. The matrix is composed chiefly of quartz, but contains calcium carbonate, ferric oxide, alumina, and lime.—Foreign Letter.

The Children of the Rich.

The children of the rich but seldom fulfill the expectations of their property, and the great consolidations of capital to achieve artificial results are menaced from many sides, so that the people are discovering that the mere law of advantage is on the whole the law of disadvantage.—George Alfred Townsend.

Commissioner of Deeds for all the States, Mr. G. E. Reardon, Baltimore, Md., writes that he suffered for a long time with rheumatism which yielded to no treatment until he applied St. Jacobs Oil.

"She puts on a great many airs, does she not?" said Mildred, while discussing an acquaintance. "Airs," replied Amy. "That doesn't begin to express it. She just piles cyclones on the top of hurricanes."

Remarked by R. C. Joiner of Allen, P. O. Hillsdale Co., Mich.: "Nothing gave my rheumatism such quick relief as Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil—believe it infallible for rheumatics."

For young ladies of slight figure the bodice, finely pleated both back and front, is very becoming.

Ex-Congressman Weaver, Post Office Department, Washington, D. C., considers Red Star Cough Cure a remarkable remedical agent. It contains no dangerous narcotics and costs but twenty-five cents.

A little Scotch boy on being rescued by a bystander from the deck into which he had fallen, expressed heartfelt gratitude, saying, "I'm so glad you got me out. What a lickin' I wad have frae my mither if I had been drooned!"

English tailors make a quaint surplice front that has fullness only on the right shoulder, crossing thence to the left side at the waist line, concealing the buttons down the middle and dropping in a loop or a scarf below.

A writer in the *Southern Christian Advocate* says: "I once broke a hen's egg, in the yolk of which was a small, green fig, perfect and entire, with stem. All to whom I have told this think it most wonderful."

Things one would rather have left unsaid: He—"What a pretty fan." She —"Yes, I had it given to me when I first came out." He—"Really, it worn well."

There is a western paper which says that this continuing to teach girls to thump on the piano, and the boys to be book-keepers will result at last in potatoes being $4 a bushel.

Lace zephyrs with plush stripes make up charmingly in the following combinations; Olive green over a delicate pink, brown over fawn color, and pale blue over cream color.

Thin black tissues, worked with jet, have stripes, which may be cut in lengths for trimming.

Corselets of silk or velvet are worn with woolen bodices. The fabrics should be fine and soft.

J. C. Hudspeth, of Early County, Ga., has killed 255 wild turkeys in the last seven years.

Jack-rabbitts are swarming through Nevado, Utah and Idaho, and doing much damage to crops.

During one week at Blandville, Ballard County, Ky., eleven mules were killed by buffalo gnats.

An intelligent bull always charges at a red flag. There are some really good points in a bull.

Those who manufacture dynamite bombs should be made to swallow them —and then kicked—by a mule.

It is rumored that the coiffure is to forsake its present lofty eminence and be arranged at the nape of the neck.

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$100 will be required of the purchaser at the time and place of sale; other terms at sale.

BERNARD E. McDERMOTT, Assignee and present holder of said Mortgage.

J. W. JOHNSON, Attorney.

Woburn, June 17, 1886.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

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